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BOARD TELLS LAND OWNER HE'S WRONG

Vows to Prosecute For Not Following Subdivision

SOLICITOR, SECRETARY ENGAGE IN DEBATE

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Duke Goes on Duty

4 Footed Patrolman Puts Teeth in Law Enforcement as He Ends Schooling

Mercury Staff Photo

Get Him, Duke!

Wearing a well padded arm sleeve, Pat Cooney, Stowe, braces himself for the lunge of a 90 pound police dog during a practice session. The dog, Duke, owned by Arthur Mays, West Pottsgrove police chief, is trained to attack on command. Around his neck is the leather collar which he wears while patroling.

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Duke helped the patrolman considerably since he began riding in the car several months ago. He's searched buildings, and put many a fright into people who have notions of becoming disorderly.

He will go back to school in another six months for a refresher course.

Mercury Staff Photo

And Duke Does

No matter how hard Pat Cooney tries to shake the dog off, he is unable to fight himself loose from the vice-like grip. The police dog, owned by Police Chief Arthur Mays, will not let go until he is given the command. Mays is able to call the dog off and have him hold a suspect at bay while he searches him.

Duke Keeps Watchful Eye

Pat Cooney, Race street, Stowe, stands against a wall while he is frisked by Arthur Mays, West Pottsgrove police chief. Duke, May's police dog, stands ready to lend assistance if Cooney should try to injure Mays or escape. Cooney helped the police chief train the German Shepherd.

Promise is Kept; Legislator Pleads For Pennhurst Aid

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"It's obvious that we have not done enough for this institution, buildingwise or moneywise," Irvis said. "I'm afraid that too many of us in government are guilty of complacency in the operation of our institutions."

Irvis said he would urge that one of two approaches be taken to the Pennhurst problem—construction of a complete new facility to accommodate the needs, or extensive renovation work.

"This is not a political thing," Irvis said. "Apparently we have been remiss on this for years and years and years."

He spoke of some "shocking" revelations in his visit to Pennhurst yesterday with ten other members of the house.

"We found a single woman attendant looking after some 75 male patients who must remain naked because they rip off their clothes," he said.

"We were told the school couldn't get male attendants because of the low starting salary."

"I personally feel very guil-

BUILDING IN 1965 IS AT HIGH MARK

Biggest Year Since 1959 Recorded In Borough

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Capping the year 1965 was December with 33 permits issued worth $277,614, including four new homes and a $185,000 refrigeration unit being installed at the Mrs. Smith's Pie company plant.

Other major contracts started this year include 33 homes worth $440,900, the $170,000 addition to Grace Lutheran church, and six service stations and car wash stations.

Weather Rhyme Expected to Herald Warmth and Growth for New Year

There is a New Year's weather rhyme, which will be quoted later, that probably will promise the Pottstown area "warmth and growth" in 1966.

It is beginning to look that way already, with the new year still a few hours off and Winter only a few days old.

Temperatures in Pottstown Thursday reached a moderate 50 degrees, 11 degrees above the normal high for this period, which year in and year out is the cold- [illegible] out of the year.

The high today will be in the upper 50s, and while not close to the 65 record for the date, is still a mighty warm day.

As 1965 drew to a close it was sunshiny and just about worthy of being called "balmy" Thursday, with temperatures soaring upward in the forenoon.

Clouds in the afternoon lent a dull cast to the remainder of the day and floated a ceiling over the rising temperatures, holding it at 50.

Since the temperatures didn't drop when night fell, but stayed around 50 until early today, when they started to slip slightly, it showed with authority that the New Year is going to arrive on the good side of the rhyme.

An old rhyme says:

"If New Year's Eve night wind blow south,
"It betokeneth warmth and growth,
"If west, much milk, and fish in the sea;
"If north, much cold, and storms there will be;
"If east, the trees will bear much friut;
"If northeast, flee it man and brute!"

The wind has been southwest for two days and will be generally southerly this morning and southwesterly tonight, meaning warmth, growth, milk and fish.

It will be partly cloudy and mild today with a high in the upper 50s, and mostly cloudy and mild tonight and tomorrow with showers likely tomorrow.

Isn't that something? Everytime precipitation falls, it is warm, and you get rain instead of snow.

Limerick Pays Bills at Final Session of 1965

Limerick township supervisors paid year-ending bills Thursday night at a close-out session, then adjourned and went into an executive session to talk over appointments to 1966 posts.

Henry Pennington, successful Republican candidate for a post on the board Nov. 2, replaces Earl Heffentrager, also a Republican, at the Jan. 3 reorganization meeting in Limerick.

Pennington, second deputy prothonotary of Montgomery county, expressed a desire to be sworn in by his "boss", Prothonotary Robert Reithmiller.

His ascendancy, to the board, after an unsuccessful campaign against Democrat J. Earl Hatfield in 1963, does not change the political complexion of the board.

Hatfield and Chairman Frank Rumler will continue to wield the mace of political authority for the Democrats.

Rumler, who emphasizes that politics counts for naught in most activities of the supervisors, said the appointments will be announced Monday.

THE WEATHER

Fair and mild this morning, low about 40, partly cloudy and mild today, high in the upper 50s. Mostly cloudy and mild tonight and tomorrow, with showers likely tomorrow. Chance of rain zero today, 20 percent tonight and rising.

FIVE DAY FORECAST: Temperatures much above normal range of 26 to 39, generally mild throughout the period. Showers over weekend may total a quarter to a half inch.

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Temperature Extremes

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	32	4 p. m.	50
5 a. m.	31	5 p. m.	50
6 a. m.	31	6 p. m.	49
7 a. m.	30	7 p. m.	50
8 a. m.	30	8 p. m.	50
9 a. m.	31	9 p. m.	49
10 a. m.	34	10 p. m.	50
11 a. m.	40	11 p. m.	50
12 m.	44	12 p. m.	50
1 p. m.	46	1 a. m.	49
2 p. m.	49	2 a. m.	47
3 p. m.	50	3 a. m.	46

Uncle Sam Has Eye on Your Money

Before you pay all those Christmas bills, Uncle Sam is anxious to see you!

Disheartening news, maybe, but it's that time of year. And you've got to face it.

The mailman hasn't received your income tax return form to deliver yet, but he'll do it in a couple days.

In the meantime, early birds who want to get rid of the income tax chore may see David Stevenson, internal revenue clerk, in borough hall Monday. An office was established there Thursday by Arthur H. Lilierose, agent in charge of the Reading IRS office.

Stevenson will be in borough hall every Monday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. He'll help prepare returns, answer questions. He also has tax forms and individual tax booklets. In fact, persons, who want income tax forms may pick them up before hand at borough hall and at the postoffice.

If you've urgent questions, you may call a special answering office at Reading, here is the number 376-8433.

Clubs, Lodges are Prepared For Big New Year's Crowd

More than 1700 Pottstonians will welcome in the New Year tonight with old acquaintances at the borough's lodges and clubs.

With most reservations made or tickets purchased, local celebrators figure to start off 1966 with an outlay of easily more than $5000.

The party at the Elks home, which has been sold out since early this month, will have the largest gathering, with 450 members and guests expected.

Most expensive entrance fee is at Brookside Country club, where couples will pay $25 for a package deal covering food and drink.

All the partiers will dance to the music of live bands, ranging from a 7 piece orchestra at the Elks home to two combos at the Dic Cas-

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Neglect Causes Death of Newborn Boy

Neglect caused the death of a newborn infant boy who was abandoned on a dump pile in Gilbertsville, according to Montgomery county coroner, Dr. John C. Simpson, who performed an autopsy.

Dr. Simpson estimated the baby lived for one day and was on the trash pile for another day before being found Wednesday.

The child had never been fed and the umbilical cord was not tied.

Death could have been caused by bleeding through the umbilical cord.

The child was taken to the Losh Funeral home, Boyertown, where the autopsy was performed.

Money Bag Taken From Local Store

A theft of a money bag containing $415.41 in cash was reported Thursday night by the manager of the Bargaintown U. S. A. Vitamin center, High and Charlotte streets.

James Arthur Smith, manager said the money apparently was taken while he was talking on the telephone in the rear of the store.

Prize is Unclaimed; Barrel Worth $200

Photo Page 5

The Lucky Barrel drawing worth $100 went unclaimed Thursday as the unregistered name of Mrs. Patricia Dongoski, 132 Gable avenue, was pulled.

Today through next Thursday, the barrel which will be worth $200, will be at Canning's Drug store.

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MAIN DRAG

ROGER HILLIBUSH
—getting sore ankles while ice skating.

MRS. THEODORE J. KEPNER
—preparing for a quiet New Year's celebration.

SHARON KRAWCHUCK
—practicing strokes for the college swimming team.

MRS. BROOKE E. MOYER
—taking care of five children.

CHESTER A. ELLIS
—promising not to make any New Year's resolutions.

ELHANAN M. McALLISTER
—sleeping days and working nights.

CARL G. WILSON
—exchanging Christmas gifts for the right size.

WILLIAM J. RUTH
—putting in a new closet.

FRANCINE QUINTER
—ice skating for third time of the season.

GEORGE C. SCHWENK
—doing the housework during wife's illness.

H. F. STOLTZFUS
—replacing old fence posts in the field.

JANICE MADARAS
—enjoying retirement.

LBJ Plans to Extend Search for Peace

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GOLDBERG IN PARIS FOR VIET MEETING

PARIS (AP) — Ambassador Arthur J. Goldberg flew into Paris Thursday night to confer with President Charles de Gaulle about moves to bring peace to Viet Nam.

Goldberg, chief U.S. delegate to the United Nations, came from Rome where he had delivered a special message on Viet Nam from President Johnson to Pope Paul VI. He also met with high Italian government officials to spell out the Johnson administration's position.

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Hopes for negotiations were dimmed by a [illegible] message from President Ho Chi Minh of North Viet Nam to Pope Paul accusing U.S. leaders of seeking war instead of peace.

The Vatican informants said the Hanoi message "is being carefully studied."

LOCAL NOTICES

Office closed until Mon., Jan. 3. Dr. Eugene Gross.

Office closed. Reopen Jan. 10, 1966. Dr. W. Wolf, Dentist.

Peace Moves Interrupted By Communist Slaughter

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — [illegible]

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—Five hundred Viet Cong drove a militia company from a hilltop post only four miles from outer defenses of the U.S. Marine base at Da Nang, 380 miles northeast of Saigon. Three companies of Vietnamese rangers mounted a counterattack in a heavy rain, but were pinned down by fire from mortars and automatic weapons. The rain prevented air strikes against the Viet Cong.

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—Communist forces equipped with heavy machine guns hit two government posts in Chau Doc Province, on the Cambodian frontier 130 miles west of Saigon, before dawn. The Vietnamese company at post one [illegible]

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HARRIMAN, TITO TO TALK VIET PEACE

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — W. Averell Harriman arrived Thursday from Warsaw, eager to pursue with President Tito his quest for ways to end the war in Viet Nam.

The presidential envoy will meet Friday with Tito, a leader of the nonaligned bloc [illegible] been seeking to end the conflict. Tito has proposed a halt to the U.S. bombings of North Viet Nam as a precondition for negotiations.

Now that the U.S. bombings have stopped, Harriman will discuss with Tito what could be done for opening peace talks with North Viet Nam, it is believed here.

Yugoslavia, as a prominent nonaligned nation, could play a certain role in influencing other countries in approaching the problem of Viet Nam.

Harriman will fly to Ljubljana, capital of Slovenia, and drive to Tito's retreat at Brdo Castle.

"I am very happy to be back in Yugoslavia," Harriman said at the airport. "I will see President Tito. Our talks always were very stimulating and of interest for my country and the peoples of Yugoslavia."

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Harriman said he talked with Adam Rapacki, Polish foreign minister, to inform him of the U.S. attitude on Viet Nam. Commenting on his visit with Wladyslaw Gomulka, Polish party leader, Harriman said it was a courtesy call.

Brief official statements in Warsaw confirming Harriman's meetings gave only one hint of the subject. They said that "at President Johnson's request" he had discussed with Rapacki Poland's role on the three-nation control commission for Indochina.

The commission is composed of Poland, India and Canada.

Harriman wore a thoughtful expression as he and John A. Gronouski, the new U.S. ambassador to Warsaw, left their two-hour meeting with Gomulka and Rapacki at Communist party headquarters in downtown Warsaw.

The Polish party chief well might have delivered one of his familiar, bitter attacks against U.S. policies. Gomulka often has called America the aggressor in Viet Nam.

—AP Wirephoto

VIETNAMESE STOMP—Vietnamese popular force militiaman kicks Viet Cong prisoner to the head of interrogation point in Viet Cong controlled valley near Binh Dinh, some 280 miles northeast of Saigon. Prisoner was captured by troops of US First Cavalry Division.

Secret Talks On Viet Held By US, Soviet

MOSCOW (AP) — Secret talks on Viet Nam between U.S. Ambassador Foy D. Kohler and Soviet officials were disclosed Thursday. But American informants warned against expecting any change in the hard Soviet line.

They said the Soviet leadership apparently will continue supporting North Viet Nam's conditions for negotiations, which include complete withdrawal of U.S. troops.

Kohler met with Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko Dec. 22 and talked to Deputy Foreign Minister Vasily V. Kuznetsov two days later, the sources said. Kohler also saw President Nikolai V. Podgorny Wednesday but the sources described this as a courtesy call.

The sources reported the Kremlin apparently does not oppose a peaceful settlement in Viet Nam, but is avoiding any initiative lest Red China heap on new accusations of collaborating with the United States. This has been Peking's favorite theme for weeks in its running feud with Moscow.

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American sources did not explain why the Kohler meetings had been kept secret. They denied reports that the American envoy had met Podgorny on President Johnson's orders as part of a U.S. peace offensive.

The U.S. Embassy had requested the meeting with Podgorny shortly after he was named president Dec. 9.

U.S. sources felt the impending visit to Hanoi of Alexander N. Shelepin, No. 2 man in the Soviet Communist hierarchy, does not appear to portend any peace move.

They expressed belief Shelepin's mission follows Soviet policy of promising "the Vietnamese people" all necessary aid without intervening directly.

360 TO 440 MAY DIE IN ACCIDENTS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The long New Year weekend began Thursday night for many Americans — amid much of the same kind of rough weather that marred the Christmas holiday period.

Many areas of rain, sleet or snow added to the hazards of travel in the western half of the country.

The same assortment of bad weather was a factor in the heavy toll last weekend, when 720 men, women and children died in traffic accidents.

That was a record for any long holiday period.

The National Safety Council has estimated that between 360 and 440 persons may be killed in the period that began at 6 p.m. Thursday night and will end at midnight Sunday.

It is the same time span as on the Christmas weekend — 78 hours.

Generally, the toll is lower during the New Year celebration than during the Christmas holiday. The long-long distance travel isn't as heavy, although many Americans run up mileage on journeys to football bowl games and byproduct events as well as to ski slopes and the warm sands of desert and beach.

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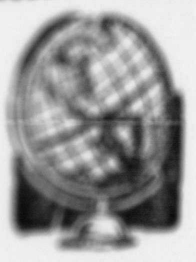

World News In Capsule

By The Associated Press

VIET NAM

The White House breaks its silence on the far-flung drive aimed at getting Viet Nam peace talks started. President Johnson wants "more leaders of the world to know his views on Asia," says an aide.

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U.S. Ambassador Foy D. Kohler's secret talks with Soviet officials on Viet Nam are disclosed, but American sources caution against expecting any change in the Soviet position.

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Communist China is likely to eye suspiciously the Soviet and U.S. moves in the Vietnamese conflict.

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Presidential envoy W. Averell Harriman arrives in Belgrade from Warsaw for discussions with President Tito on Viet Nam.

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WASHINGTON

Living costs go against the usual seasonal trend in November, rising at the fastest pace in seven years.

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NATIONAL

Gemini 7 astronauts agree there is no limit on how long man can exist in space as long as future spacecraft emphasize crew comfort as well as survival.

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Atty. Gen. Edward W. Brooke, one of Massachusetts best Republican vote-getters, announces he'll run for the U.S. Senate, confident that the fact that he is a Negro won't hurt his chances.

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A team of federal investigators will be sent to study racial patterns in the public schools of Chicago, where integrations contend there is discrimination and argue that federal money should be withheld.

UNION WALKS OUT OF BUS, SUBWAY TALKS

NEW YORK (AP) — The Transit Workers Union walked out Thursday on negotiations aimed at averting a subway and bus strike set for 5 a.m. New Year's morning. It would affect a metropolitan area of 15 million people.

Michael J. Quill, president of the AFL-CIO Transport Workers Union, demanded the personal presence at the negotiations of Mayor-elect John V. Lindsay.

Lindsay, who takes office five hours before the strike deadline, told a news conference he will step into the negotiations Friday. But he refused to say what exact role he would play, or whether he would participate in actual negotiations.

The three negotiators for the Transit Authority announced they would stage a "sit-in" at the negotiating room in the Hotel Americana until the union comes back.

Lindsay issued a set of emergency plans for use in the event of the strike, although he said he thought a strike will be avoided.

Transit Authority lawyers started moves in court to enjoin a strike, which is illegal under state law.

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The War as It Looks to The Men Who Fight It

To GI in Viet, End of Year Means One Thing—He Survived

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SENATE SEAT NEXT GOAL OF BROOKE

BOSTON (AP) — [illegible] Brooke [illegible]

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He said he became a candidate as soon as he heard of Saltonstall's decision to retire.

"I opened my campaign then," he said, "and it will go on right up to the election next November."

Brooke said he doesn't think his race will be an issue in the campaign.

"It certainly hasn't been in any other campaign," he said. "the people of this state are so racially blind that they re-elected me by 800,000 votes."

Brooke won his second term by that record margin for any Republican in Massachusetts in the same 1964 election in which President Johnson and Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., carried the state by margins of 1.4 million.

The legislature created the Massachusetts Crime Commission shortly before he took office, and its reports poured into his office in 1963 until its term ended last June 30.

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On the basis of those reports, Brooke's office obtained indictments against scores of present and past state officials, including a former speaker of the House and the speaker who was in office last year; several other members of the legislature and officials of state agencies.

There have been several convictions resulting in heavy fines and jail terms. Many cases remain to be tried.

Brooke said he hopes to get the Republican nomination without opposition.

In 1964, he reluctantly ran for re-election as attorney general, standing aside to give Gov. John A. Volpe another shot at the governor's office. Volpe had won the office in 1960, only to lose it in 1962.

Now, Brooke says, Volpe, who had been regarded as a potential candate for the Senate, told him he expects to seek another term as governor.

HER SIDE—An unidentified motorist, either courageous or foolhardy, is driving this automobile around Long Beach, Calif., determined [illegible] mistake the crumpled fender as a consequence of his mistake.

AP Wirephoto

Astronauts Want Spacecraft With More Comforts

MANNED SPACE CENTER, Houston, Tex. (AP) — Man's voyages through the void of space need no longer be burdened with fears that strange weightless world might dangerously harm the human body, the Gemini 7 astronauts agreed Thursday.

They qualified their statements, though, by adding that spacecraft of the future should be designed for maximum crew comfort, and not survival alone.

"There's no limit to how long man can exist in weightlessness," Navy Cmdr. James A. Lovell Jr. said at a news conference on the two-week Gemini 7 flight he took with Air Force Lt. Col. Frank Borman.

Borman, command pilot on the historic flight, confidently declared he felt astronauts could fly in space "a month, two months or whatever."

The two astronauts joined with Navy Capt. Walter M. Schirra Jr. and Air Force Maj. Thomas P. Stafford at the Manned Spacecraft Center to relate to the public details of their record-breaking missions that included the world's first true rendezvous in space.

For two hours, the four spacemen — together holders of virtually every manned spaceflight record — emphasized that man has proved he can live and work in space.

Schirra and Stafford, whose flight lasted only one day, dramatically described their Dec. 15 rendezvous with Gemini 7 — a mission Schirra called "almost classic...so pure."

They laid to rest the question of just how close the two spaceships came to each other during that momentous meeting 185 miles above earth.

"We got within a foot but we had agreed before the flight that the spacecraft would not touch," said Schirra. "We had no hesitancy in moving in and looking them (Gemini 7) over."

Previous estimates of the closest point ranged from one to 10 feet.

Obviously proud, Stafford, who was a space rookie before Gemini 6, said that when he first saw Gemini 7 glimmering in the distance it was "a great feeling to see our goal after a year's work."

And, they reached their goal. With a successful rendezvous, the United States took a giant stride forward in its effort to land two men on the moon by 1970. The next step is to perfect the actual docking maneuver with an orbiting vehicle — the primary objectives of the next five Gemini missions, planned for 1966.

Borman noted that the flight of Gemini 7 did not go without problems. At one point, he said, the pilots were prepared to bring the craft back to earth one day shy of 14 days because of a fuel cell problem.

REQUIREMENTS STIFFEN FOR DEFERMENTS

WASHINGTON (AP) — Selective Service officials are considering stiffer requirements for student draft deferments to help meet manpower needs generated by the war in Viet Nam, a spokesman said Thursday night.

Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey has summoned state draft chiefs from across the nation to a series of three conferences to discuss the manpower situation, and talk about possible moves to increase the number of men available for induction.

No changes in policies or regulations have been made, a Selective Service spokesman said, but new steps that might be taken will be considered at the three conferences.

The first session will bring Southern state draft directors to Ft. Stewart, Ga., on Jan. 9. On Jan. 19, directors from the Northeast and Midwestern states will meet in Washington. Western state draft directors will confer Feb. 7 in San Diego, Calif.

Topping the agenda, a draft official said, will be a review of the current manpower situation and a discussion of areas from which the draft might replenish its pool of eligible men.

The directors also will talk over the Dec. 23 decision to review the cases of high school graduates who flunked the Selective Service mental examinations.

SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE IS REPORTED

WASHINGTON (AP) — [illegible]

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The Olin Mathieson plant in East Alton is the sole producer of a special type of gunpowder for ammunition used in many key small arms weapons and 20mm aircraft cannons in the war against the Communists in Viet Nam.

Sinkin earlier announced that an agreement was near with the AFL-CIO International Association of Machinists and that he was pressing efforts to wrap up agreement with the AFL-CIO International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and the Western Employes Trades Council.

JOINS CAMPAIGN

TRIVANDRUM, India (AP) — The Kerala State government joined India's family planning campaign by announcing maternity leaves would no longer be given to women workers who have three or more children.

Today's Personalities

2 Men With Different Origins Strive to Halt War in Viet Nam

NEW YORK (AP) — Two Americans of sharply different social origins have leading roles in the wide-ranging diplomatic probe for ways to halt the fighting in Viet Nam.

W. Averell Harriman, 74, President Johnson's ambassador at large, was born to wealth and turned to public service after a conventional rich man's career in banking and business.

Arthur J. Goldberg, 57, U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, was the son of poor Russian immigrants, went to work at the age of 12 and first won prominence as a lawyer for labor unions.

Harriman's millions came from the estate of his father, E.H. Harriman, who once controlled 60,000 miles of railroads. The younger Harriman himself was chairman of the board of the Union Pacific Railroad when he renounced Republicanism to support Alfred E. Smith for president in 1928.

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When his friend, Franklin D. Roosevelt, was elected president in 1932, Harriman laid aside his business interests to become New York chairman for the National Recovery Administration. It was the first of a long series of government assignments which ultimately made Harriman perhaps an experienced U.S. diplomat.

In 1941, Roosevelt sent him to London as expediter of U.S. aid to Britain. In 1943, Harriman was appointed ambassador to Moscow and stayed there for the rest of the war. When peace came he was named ambassador to London.

As a foreign affairs adviser and troubleshooter for Roosevelt and President Harry S. Truman, Harriman attended all the big international conferences — Quebec, Moscow, Teheran, Yalta and Potsdam. He was at Roosevelt's seaborne Atlantic charter meeting with Winston Churchill and the San Francisco conference which shaped the United Nations.

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From 1954 to 1958 Harriman was governor of New York, but lost to Republican Nelson A. Rockefeller when he sought a second term. Harriman returned to international affairs with the election of President John F. Kennedy, serving variously as ambassador at large, assistant secretary of state, and undersecretary of state for political affairs.

He helped negotiate the 1963 limited nuclear test ban treaty with Moscow, and President Johnson renamed him ambassador at large last year.

Goldberg was born in Chicago, and was only 8 when his father died. Four years later Goldberg landed his first job, as a delivery boy.

He finished high school at 15. Supporting himself with a night job in a library, he then attended morning classes at a junior college and afternoon classes at De Paul University.

After two years, Goldberg entered the Northwestern University Law School. He was graduated top of his class in 1929.

ASSIGNMENTS

CHANDIGARH, India (AP) — Rural school pupils have been given out-of-class assignments to kill seven rats each by order of the Punjab Education Department to exterminate crop-destroying rodents.

RUSSELL SAYS EFFORTS HOLD LITTLE HOPE

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — The chairman of congressional Armed Services Committee agreed Thursday that failure of peace overtures in Viet Nam would mean an intensified war with additional U.S. troops involved.

Sen. Richard B. Russell, D-Ga., said U.S. efforts to negotiate are mainly a demonstration of good faith to the world and hold little chance of success.

"Escalation is inevitable if this fails," the chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee told a news conference in Atlanta. "We will be compelled to take more drastic steps."

We take this opportunity to wish you happiness, health and success in the New Year.

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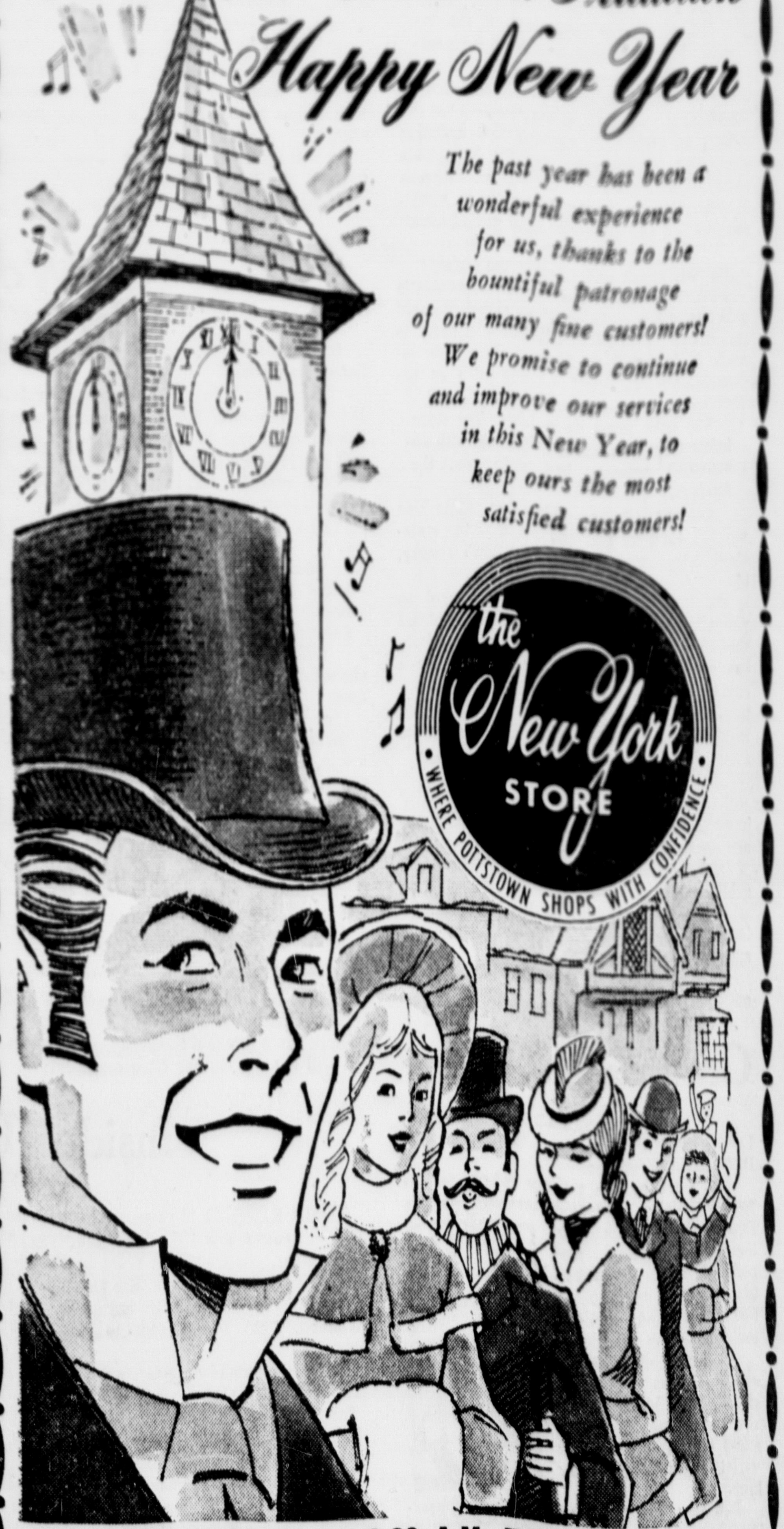

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SHOP TODAY . . . 9:30 A.M. TO 5:30 P.M.
Closed Tomorrow — New Year's Day

Pottstown Mercury

Readers Say: GIs Cry—So It Won't Happen Here

Moonlighting

At 77, a Greeting For the New Year

The GOP Must Speak Out

But when the meeting of the co-ordinating committee was held, the meaningful words were not present.

The committee's statement said that all Republicans should shun membership "in any radical or extremist organization including any which attempts to use the Republican party for its own ends or any which seeks to undermine the basic principles of American freedom and constitutional government."

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Did this speak out against the society?

John Rousselot, the Birch movement's public relations director, was elated. He said that it was "wise of the Republican party to make it clear that it doesn't seem to be influenced by extremist groups such as the communist party or the Ku Klux Klan."

The GOP must face facts. The issue before them was not involvement with all extremist groups, but with one, the Birchers.

Perhaps the co-ordinating committee will fall back on the excuse that the statement they issued covers the Birch society, too.

But most people view the statement as giving in to the fact that the GOP is afraid that any statements specifically on the Birchers will cut off part of its party's funds supply, and hence, the co-ordinating committee did not mean its statement to cover the Birchers—a fact which even Rousselot of the super organization realizes.

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To sever its tie with the Birchers the GOP is going to have to shoulder its convictions and speak specifically about the Birchers.

If it does not do this, then it is not too subtly supporting the extremist, super secret society which twists its desire for Americanism to the point that the ideals it supposedly supports are destroyed.

We know that the Republican leaders do not believe this. We wish they would say so.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,
December 30.

Editor, The Mercury,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where for its 600th "birthday," just observed, London's famed Westminster Abbey was cleaned-up and polished until it looked like a million dollars. In fact, $2.8 million, because that's what the job cost.

A group of London scientists has begun a study of the blood pressure of eels. It's our guess that of the electric variety ought to be pretty high.

And say: The human brain has approximately 10 billion cells. That's of course, must refer to anyone's—and not just those of stubborn persons with closed minds.

Hopin' you air the same,

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

Voice of Broadway

By JACK O'BRIAN

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

RICHARD F., 45, is a member of Alcoholics Anonymous.

"Dr. Crane," he said, "don't you think it is smart to make sincere resolutions, even though there may be a good chance that we will fail to fulfill them?

"The reason I ask, is the fact that many people say it does no good to do this.

"They think it just produces a lower morale.

"But our A. A. members often have failed at the start but then they may finally make it and become sober, industrious citizens."

William James, pioneer American psychologist, urged us to make good resolutions.

For the idea is father to the deed!

Without first thinking a better plan of action, we are not likely to produce a better world.

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ABRAHAM LINCOLN stated much the same thing when he advised:

"The probability that we may fail in the struggle ought not to deter us from the support of a cause we believe to be just."

In a similar vein, James Russell Lowell said:

"Not failure but aim is crime."

So aim high by making lofty resolves and setting constructive goals.

Here are a few that fit various age groups and will benefit you and often mankind:

(1) Urge your children to memorize proverbs, wise sayings and inspirational verses from the Bible. These will buoy up their souls in old age!

(2) Play ball with God Almighty!

Which means, after God has given you a sturdy human body, don't sabotage it by nuisance habits, such as gluttony, smoking, alcoholism and emotional intemperance.

Get on God's team so you can then relax at night and banish insomnia without chemical tranquilizers (which simply add more work for your liver and kidneys).

(3) Join my "Compliment Club" wherein you pay a sincere bit of praise to three different people every day.

This is merely putting the Golden Rule into effective daily action!

A compliment to your family or neighbors while they are still alive is far better than an exaggerated floral wreath for their casket!

WHEN you write for booklets by Dr. George W. Crane, address your requests to Dr. George W. Crane, The Mercury, Pottstown, Pa. Enclose 20¢ and self addressed, stamped, large size envelopes. Booklets are NOT free. DO NOT mail to Mercury alone. This will expedite shipment. DO WRITE to Dr. George W. Crane, The Mercury . . . DO NOT write to Mercury alone.

Inside Television

By EVE STARR

STARR REPORT: "I suspect this may be my last season with "The Virginian," says Clu Gulager, currently co-starring in the 90-minute Western as Deputy Emmet Ryker. Not that I'm dissatisfied in any way," he explained, "but I just want to do other things."

The Oklahoma-born actor, who starred for two years as Billy the Kid in "The Tall Man" series, figures he has served his apprenticeship in television. Now he wants to direct and to produce.

"We have about the best group of actors extant on this show," he said, "and when I see them work, I get the itch to direct them, to get my own ideas across on that screen. And this studio," he indicated Universal, "is the top one in town for trying new techniques while providing the best in commercial work. I'm really sold on the outfit."

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ROBERT LANSING worked as a guest star in one of the Western's episodes.

"He's great," Clu said. "That guy has more talent than any 10 other actors around. I'm hoping to get him to star in a movie my company will make, titled 'The Two.' It won't be a high-budget picture, but we'll have fun doing it.

"That's one of the reasons I won't be with the series next year. I like to create things. This is my chance."

Francois Truffaut, the French director who did the award-copping "The 400 Blows" art film probably will join Gulager in "The Two," an indication of the seriousness of the latter's plans.

Interpreting The News

US Lull, Red Visit Arouses Suspicion

The comment goes further, however. It indicates a belief that most of the world's parties are swinging away from Red China and into the Soviet camp, and hints that China is becoming isolated both on party and government levels.

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There is a chorus of comment calling for "realism," warning that the United States should not be underrated and that is not a paper tiger, as the Chinese insist. The bloc is being told the Russians will not be provoked into endangering world peace.

The Kremlin has been busily cementing bloc relations in preparation for the 23rd Communist party congress opening March 29, which will be an opportunity for a form of world Communist meeting.

The violent Chinese attacks sting in Moscow because the Peking assault threatens permanent division of the movement into two camps. By the time of the congress, Soviet missionary work may have whipped some of the maverick parties back into line.

In Retrospect

50 Years Ago

25 Years Ago

10 Years Ago

December 30, 1955

SEAMSTRESS RETIRES—She wanted to retire quietly, but the employes of Pottstown hospital where Mrs. Cora E. Quinter has been seamstress for the past 27 years wouldn't let her last day of work go unnoticed. The hospital staff gathered to see Sam H. Keiser, secretary of the board of directors, present her with the wrist watch they bought her.

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POSITIONS AWARDED—Pottstown Democratic leaders offered borough posts to one political veteran and to a political newcomer. Democrats announced that Mrs. John B. Evans, 125 North Hanover street, wife of the former assistant treasurer of the United States, was named to serve as borough treasurer under the new Democratic administration. William Barber, 28 year old insurance salesman, who lives at 169 Sheridan street, was offered a post on the borough recreation board. Barber is the first Negro in Pottstown to be given a post in a phase of borough government.

Pottstown Sketches

"Heel!"

...puter . . . GIVE AWAY DEP'T—7 puppies, 6 weeks old, Wallace Jula, Pottstown RD 3, 495-7233.

What D'You Know?

By NAN JONES

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. Which two teeth does a baby normally cut first?
2. Where is the Red Sea?
3. Where is the White Sea?
4. Where is the Black Sea?
5. Who wrote "The Star Rover" and "Before Adam"?
6. What is a grimalkin?
7. Where is Ascension Island? To whom does it belong?
8. What is a dacoit?
9. In what city is the French Opera House?
10. What two grand operas were composed by Victor Herbert?

IT HAPPENED TODAY

On this day in 1923, Eddie Cantor opened in "Kid Boots," a smash musical hit in New York.

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

CIRCUITOUS — (ser-KYEW-e-tes) — adjective; roundabout; not direct.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

"Bonnie Prince Charles" Stuart, violinist Nathan Milstein, folk singer Odetta.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. The lower central incisors.
2. Between Arabia and Africa.
3. In northern European Russia.
4. Between Turkey, Russia, Rumania and Bulgaria.
5. Jack London.
6. An old she-cat or witch-like old woman.
7. In the Middle South Atlantic; Britain.
8. A member of a group of brigands in India.
9. New Orleans, La.
10. "Madelaine" and "Natoma."

Flowers for the Living

for
MR. AND MRS.
PIERCE K. GRIMLEY SR.
Grosstown road, Route 20
BECAUSE today they are celebrating their 47th wedding anniversary.

LOCAL STEEL WORKER ENDS 45 YEAR JOB

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REUNION—Mr. and Mrs. R. Forest Sutton, Sunnyside avenue, Pottstown Route 2B, are shown with their two daughters and son in law. Sharon L. (left) is now the wife of Jeffrey Fraser and younger daughter blonde, Sally Ann, a student. Jeffrey and Sharon married last Summer and have been visiting for the holidays. Jeffrey is working on his master's degree at the University of Pittsburgh and Sharon is teaching elementary school in Pittsburgh. Sally Ann is studying nursing at the Reading hospital. Sally, 8 years old, rounds out the portrait. The family enjoyed the traditional get-together.

Truck Driver Is Injured in Area Accident

A truck going South on Route 100 failed to stop for a traffic light at the intersection with Route 23 Thursday morning and caused a chain reaction accident.

The truck struck a tractor trailer going east on Route 23 and the tractor trailer hit a northbound automobile that was stopped for the red light, the State police at the Exton substation said.

The driver of the front truck, Edmund Lechowicz, Shenandoah, was admitted to Memorial hospital for observation with a possible skull fracture and a possible fracture of the right knee.

The State police said Lechowicz's brakes apparently failed.

Drivers of the other two vehicles were not injured.

Driving the tractor trailer, owned by Aetna Freight lines, was Fred Barnhard, Pocono. The operator of the car was Thomas Kelly, Baltimore, Md.

Total damage to the three vehicles was estimated by the State police at $2800.

The number for news tips is 323-3000.

State Police To Watch for Drunk Drivers

The State police said Thursday they will be on the lookout for drunk drivers during the holiday weekend.

Sergeant Edwin Secott, officer in charge at the Exton substation, issued the following statement:

"The Pennsylvania State police at the Exton substation urge all motorists to be especially careful during the New Year holiday weekend.

"All available men will be utilized for traffic duty from 6 p.m. Friday to 6 a.m. Monday, Jan. 3, 1966, with instructions to be particularly watchful for intoxicated operators.

"If you are planning to attend a New Year's party, include a safe way home in your plans."

Boy Scout Troop Has Paper Drive

Boy Scout troop 125, Douglassville, had a paper drive which covered Amity Gardens, Sunrise Hills, Douglassville, and Monocacy.

After the papers were collected they were taken to Reading and exchanged for cash. The money will be divided among the boys in the drive and will be used for the troop's one week trip to Camp Shikellamy, scout reservation.

The scouts will also attend Winter camp at Shikellamy on Feb. 25 and 26.

Catholics Allowed To Eat Meat Today

Catholics of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia are dispensed from the regular Friday abstinence, today, New Year's Eve.

Archbishop John J. Krol announced that, by virtue of a special concession granted U.S. bishops by Pope Paul VI, Catholics in the diocese may eat meat as often as they wish on New Year's eve.

Unless official notice to the contrary is given, the regular Friday abstinence will resume o.. Jan. 7.

Youth is Released In Parents' Custody

Warren Hatfield, 16, 316 North Charlotte street, was released in the custody of his parents Thursday after being charged with underage drinking by Patrolmen Lynwood Youse and Paul Campbell.

He was arrested at the intersection of High and Washington streets Tuesday and received a hearing before Justice of the peace Charles Himes.

Rotarian are Told Of German Trip

Raymond Russell, a member of the Pottstown Rotary club, Thursday told 90 members of his trip to Germany.

He explained the difference in United States' and Germany's economic situation.

The group also celebrated the success of its Indian clothing drive over a steak dinner.

President Webster Canning Sr. was in charge.

Sailor Surrenders

James Charles Garrett, seaman apprentice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Garrett, 804 Willow street, surrendered to police Thursday.

He was listed as a Navy deserter after being absent without leave from the Navy since Aug. 28. The Shore Patrol from the Philadelphia Navy base picked him up at the borough jail

Car is Struck On Route 100

A car crossing Route 724 near Spring City was struck Thursday afternoon by a car going west on the highway.

An occupant of the car traveling on Route 724 was injured.

The State police at the Exton substation gave this account:

Diana Louise Laird, Hill Church road, Spring City, was driving north on Park road. She began to cross Route 724.

Her car entered the path of a car driven by Harry D. Batson Jr., Phoenixville, and was struck in the side.

Batson's wife, Dorothy, was taken to Phoenixville hospital where she was treated for scalp and forehead cuts and released.

Ralph Laird was a passenger in the car driven by his daughter. He and the two drivers were not injured.

Know news? Phone The Mercury, 323-3000. You may earn extra money.

Drive in Countryside Reveals Continuing Beauty of Christmas

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Creek Diver To Face Charge

Local patrolmen returned to borough hall with muddy trousers today after pulling Richard Zomolski out of Manatawny creek.

The police said Zomolski, 5?? West Vine street, Stowe, jumped into the creek from the south side of the King street bridge.

Patrolman Woodrow L. Ettinger said Zomolski would be charged with drunk and disorderly conduct when he is released from Pottstown hospital.

He was admitted in satisfactory condition suffering from exposure and multiple abrasions and contusions.

No reason was known for the jump.

"He just jumped in the creek, that's what it amounted to," Ettinger said.

Patrolmen James E. Rogers, Ettinger, and Richard Rotz came to Zomolski's rescue.

Howard Schavall, a companion of Zomolski, helped out.

ARRESTED AS AWOL

Police Chief John Levan, Upper Pottsgrove, arrested Larry A. Waller, North Fifth avenue, Royersford, Thursday.

Waller was charged with being absent without leave from the Army.

New Rate Area Is Proposed by Bell Company

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Local WORA Clubmen Are Shown Movie

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BRIDGE WINNERS

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Driver Pinned After Crash

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GREETINGS FOR '66

Our sincerest thanks for a prosperous year and wishes for a Happy New Year.

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66 Good Luck

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Spring City

PRIZE GOES UP—Patricia Freese, 933 Glasgow street, Stowe, picked the potential winner at Thursday's Lucky Barrel drawing in front of Sears, Roebuck company.

S. A. Warne (left) manager of the Sears store, opened the name capsule to find it contained the name of Mrs. Patricia Dongosky, 132 Gable avenue, who was ineligible to win the $100 because she wasn't registered.

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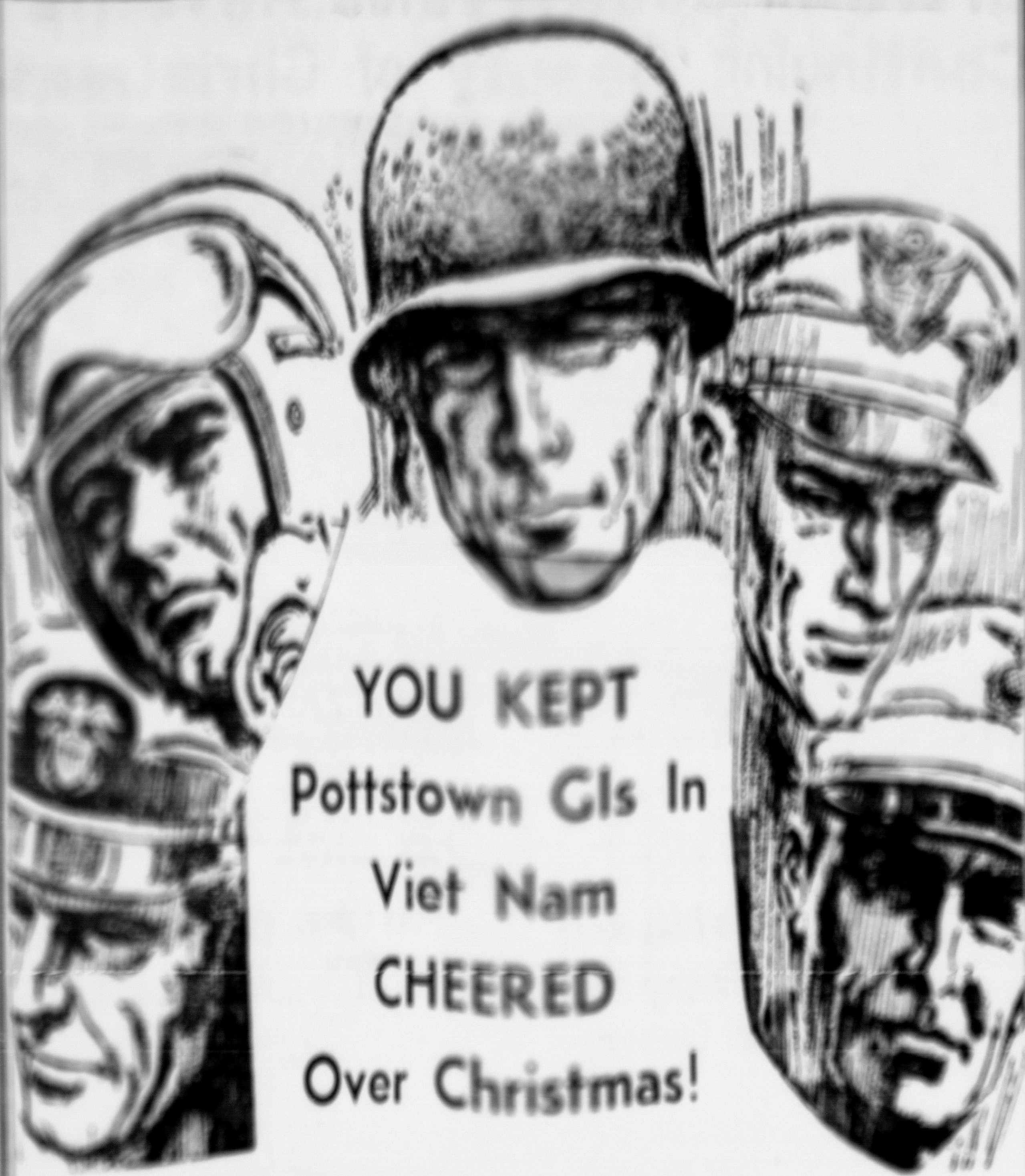
Congratulations to Mrs. Swedo . . . pictured here selecting her Christmas wish . . . a deluxe GE Automatic Washer. Assisting Mrs. Swedo is Mr. Charles Fosnocht, Levitz Store Manager. Thanks to all who participated.



YOU KEPT Pottstown GIs In Viet Nam CHEERED Over Christmas!

How About The Remainder of the Year?

Are they to be forgotten, or shall Pottstown remain uppermost in their thoughts?

You Can Let Them Know Pottstown Is Thinking of Them Every Minute of Every Day by

SENDING THEM THE MERCURY DAILY

Because Viet Nam is so far away, because mail is so slow by surface (boat), sending them the MERCURY seems to be costly, but worth it!

For $1.50 a week

you may Air Mail The MERCURY to our fighting men.

The papers would be sent Air Mail Parcel Post, the fastest service. The MERCURY will enclose a gift card to let the boys know who's sending the paper.

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Relatives and friends may send the paper for as long as they want . . . other sympathetic Pottstonians can send in their money in multiples of $1.50, and The MERCURY will see that fighting GIs in Viet Nam get the paper.

The MERCURY has the lists.

The MERCURY will see that there's no duplication—and that every GI gets a chance to see his hometown paper, provided money is available.

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Mail sent to The MERCURY from Viet Nam repeatedly said the men wanted the hometown paper. They said it was "eaten up" not only by themselves but by other fighting men in the outfit. They read The MERCURY until it was worn to tatters!

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Address . . . .

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17 YOUTHS PARTICIPATE IN RETREAT

Two Day Exercise Conducted at Center

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Attending the Retreat were: Doris Ackerman, Amy Bushyager, Mary Jo Bushyager, Cheryl Christ, Susan Dorang, Victoria Hallowell, Paul Johnson and Christine Keough.

Barry Koneski, Billy Lawrence, Christopher Penny, Kenneth Reynolds, Thomas Reynolds, Barbara Shelly, Barbara Lucas, Daryl Lucas, James Richardson.

Churches Schedule Watch Night Rites

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Mervyn and Terry Piersol Visit Parents During Holiday Season

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Area Residents Entertained by Lansdale Couple

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Y. Alderfer entertained at a Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Herby L. Landis and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Alderfer and family, Harleysville; Mr. and Mrs. Lary Alderfer and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Brian Alderfer, Lansdale.

Amanda Borneman, Moyer's road, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Curry, Norristown.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Overholtzer and Lydia Walt were guests on Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walt and daughter, Margie, Souderton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lutz were Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Linford Nace and family, Pennsburg RD.

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THE HARLEYSVILLE Community Fire company will collect papers on Jan. 8 instead of tomorrow.

The Junior girl scouts, Troops 1140 and 282, conducted their Christmas party and gift exchange at the scout cabin after they returned from caroling. The troop leaders are Mrs. Robert Ford and Mrs. Earl Vogels.

Their guest speaker was David Hudnut, Schwenksville RD, who spoke on "The Stars."

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes, Philadelphia, spent the Christmas weekend at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Binns, and daughters, Marci and Patti, South Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bishop and daughter, Jolene, Souderton, were guests on Christmas of Mrs. Bishop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Styer.

The Cadette girl scouts, Troop 1135, and their leader, Mrs. Fred Hepler, conducted their Christmas party at the scout cabin.

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MR. AND MRS. Jesse Snyder, South Main street, spent the holiday weekend with relatives in Shamokin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bossert, Park drive, entertained these guests on Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Donavin Kinsey, Trudy, Lori and Sherri Lynn Kinsey; Mr. and Mrs. Donavin Price, Cheryl and Jay Price, and Mrs. Willard Price and son, Kevin, Souderton; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Derbyshire, Diane and Theresa Derbyshire, Hatfield; Marty Kile, Sellersville; and Mrs. Laura Moyer, Harleysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Royden Overholtzer and sons, Jimmy and Gary, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Alderfer and son, John, were guests on Christmas of Mrs. Florence Snyder and family, Perkiomenville RD.

Elverson Fire Company Extinguishes Fire Caused by Faulty Chimney

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bramble and daughters, Donna and Sandy, gave a party Christmas afternoon for Mrs. Bramble's parents and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ruffner and family; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tally and son, Carl; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Keiffer and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Joan Keiffer and family.

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CHAPLAIN AND Mrs. G. Arthur Knauer and family, North Carolina, visited the former's [illegible]

SINGER ARRIVES

MIAMI (AP) — American-born singer Josephine Baker arrived in Havana to perform for Cuban audiences and delegates to the Tri-Continental Conference, Havana Radio said.

The 59-year-old Negro singer, born in St. Louis, now lives in France where she has taken out citizenship.

Havana Radio quoted Miss Baker as saying that the conference, composed of about 500 delegates from anti-American organizations of 100 nations in Africa, Asia and Latin America, is "symbolic of what she always wished for all humanity, the understanding of all continents without any kind of prejudice."

Miss Baker, who has adopted 13 children of different nationalities, said, "I came here to stay the longest possible time."

Reed Family Receives Guests From Emmaus

SUMNEYTOWN — Mrs. B. L. Angstadt, 209 Main St., Green Lane, Corr. 234-4203. Dennis Renninger, Route 29, Pottstown, delivery, 367-9296.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Reed Sr., and son, Francis Jr., and Horace Bilger, were the following relatives from Emmaus: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stoudt and family; Mr. and Mrs. William Doney and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Weaknecht and family; Mrs. Mae Krauss and family.

Mrs. Elsie Nace spent the Christmas weekend with her son, William Iredell Nace and family, Erlwood Acres.

Harry T. Sturges spent the Christmas weekend at the home of his son, George Lester Sturges and family, York.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey O. Moyer, Telford RD, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Specht, Boyertown.

Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder were the dinner guests of Lila Bittenbender, Red Hill. Other dinner guests were Mrs. Jeanette Stoneback and family, Red Hill.

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MR. AND MRS. Wilson Geiger and son, Harold, were Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts and family, Pennsburg RD.

Christmas evening, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kershner and children, Michael and Michelle, East Greenville; and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts and children, Mark, Lori and Kyle, of Pennsburg RD were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Geiger and son, Harold.

Synagog

Congregation Mercy and Truth, 575 North Keim street, Rabbi Herman E. Grossman and Cantor Michael Millet. Today, Lights Sabbath candle, 4:45 p. m. Services with sermon "Concern For Our Brethren," 8:30 p. m. Oneg Shabbat discussion report on the conference on "Moral Problem of the Rabbinate" which the Rabbi attended. Tomorrow, services, 9 a. m.; afternoon services, 4:30 o'clock. Sunday, services, 8 a. m.; regular Sunday School classes, 10:15 a. m. Monday, Jewish Women's league Bible study group, 12:45 p. m. Wednesday, Jewish's Women's league monthly, 12:30 p. m. with Rabbi Aaron Decter, Philadelphia. Monday, board of trustees, 9 p. m.

NEW YEAR'S EVE at 11:15 to Midnight
BURN your 1965 "failures" and
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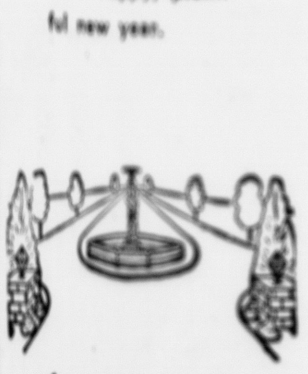
Season's Best

We welcome this chance to extend to all of you heartiest good wishes for a happy, plentiful new year.



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Obituaries

Father of 10, Alexander Migale Dies at Age 72

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Heart Attack Is Fatal to J. S. Gates

J. Stanley Gates, 69, husband of Ada (Baron) Gates, 1113 Queen street, died suddenly at his home Thursday morning, apparently of a heart attack.

He was born in Jeanesville, son of the late William and Elizabeth (Smith) Gates, and lived in Hazleton before he came to Pottstown in 1927.

He was a tool and die maker at Jacobs Aircraft Engine company from 1927 to 1945 and held the same job at Doehler-Jarvis division for 20 years, retiring the past April.

Mr. Gates was a member of First Methodist church and of Stasle lodge 327, F&AM.

Surviving with his wife are two daughters, Jane, wife of John W. Crowe, New York; and Ruth, wife of Marvin Moyer, East Greenville; a son, William M. Gates, Radnor; three brothers, C. Victor Gates, Baldwinsville, N.Y.; Francis, West Hazleton; and Marvin, West Chester; two sisters, Marion and Helen Gates, both of West Hazleton; eight grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m. Monday from the Wilson Funeral home, 711 North Franklin street. The Rev. Lewis C. Leaming Jr., pastor of First Methodist church, will officiate. Interment will be in Mountain View cemetery, West Hazleton. Masonic services will be at 9 p.m. Sunday in the Wilson Funeral home, conducted by Stichter lodge 254, F&AM.

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Funeral services for **IDA E. (NYMAN) MAUGER**, 74, wife of J. Lewis Mauger, 511 Beech street, were Thursday from Skean Funeral home, 404 High street.

Officiating was the Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor of Zion's United Church of Christ.

Interment was in Mt. Zion cemetery.

Bearers were George Lightcap, Charles Towers, Edgar Jones, Sr., Edgar Jones Jr., Walter Reahm and Lawrence Hart.

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Graveside services for **LORI ANN YOHN**, two day old daughter of Joseph J. Jr. and Sharon M. (Rhoad) Yohn, **122 KING STREET**, were Thursday at St. Aloysius New cemetery.

Officiating was the Rev. Richard Benonis, assistant rector of St. Aloysius church.

Arrangements were in charge of Fleischmann and Warker Funeral home, 726 High street.

Clubs, Lodges are Prepared For Big New Year's Crowd

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Gardner Family Is Entertained By Relatives

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Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Zinser and daughters visited Mrs. E. Weatherby and family, Silver Spring, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sauers, The Wesleyan University of Delaware, O., are spending the Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sinclair.

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VISITORS of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hepler were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hepler and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Oelschlager, Salfordville; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Neal, Perkiomenville; Robert Mowery, Nine Points; Mrs. Esther Huber, East Greenville; Mrs. Hazel Neal and daughter Emily, Wessell; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Brennan, Little Falls, N.Y. and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bechtel, Abington.

Mrs. Emma Gerhard visited with Mrs. Esther Schmoyer and family, Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bergey accompanied Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Hackman, Lansdale, to New Cumberland county to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Wohlheuff and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Wamhold and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Neal, Souderton on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Price and children were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Schoch, Steinsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Heacock, Skippack visited Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Wamhold and Harold and Sandra Heacock.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller during the holiday weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller Sr., Maple Shade, N.J.; Raymond Fonte, Conshohocken; Alexia Ciccotelli, Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller Jr., Silver Spring, Md.

Scripture Read by Mrs. Drummer In St. John's Primary Department

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Mr. and Mrs. George Alosin, Belmont Hills.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald N. Cressman and family were, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walker and children, Green Lane RD.

Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald N. Cressman and family were, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Cressman and children, Red Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald A. Cressman and children, Bally.

Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Reed Sr., were, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Reed Jr. Visitors in the afternoon were, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Moser, Wilmer K. Stoudt and son, Wilmer K., Earl Schaffer and Wilson Geiger.

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OREN WOODWARD was head usher in St. John's Lutheran church with the following assistants: Herbert Yoder, Charles Gronert, Charles Yoder, Edward Hildenbrand and Paul W. Barndt. Mark Roberts was acolyte. Joanne Schirk and Mrs. J. M. Schirk had charge of the nursery.

The chancel choir sang, "Love Came Down at Christmas" at the 10 a.m. service.

The annual Congregational meeting will be held after the 10 a.m. service Jan. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frederick and daughter, Sheilah; Mr. and Mrs. Russell W. Umstead and sons, Todd, Tal and Troy; and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Frederick and children, Robin and Darrin, Green Lane RD, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Yerk.

Promise is Kept; Legislator Pleads For Pennhurst Aid

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Senior Girl Scouts Plan New Year's Eve Party at Huff's Church Chapel

HUFF'S CHURCH & LEIDIGS VILLE—[illegible]

The Senior girl scouts of Troop 166 will sponsor a New Year's eve party at Huff's Church chapel tonight, from 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.

There will be no Ladies Aid meeting in January. The next meeting will be Feb. 3, 1966 at 7:30 p.m.

The following called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Moyer, recently, William Sharp, Leon Reinert, Owen Moll and Verna Benfield.

A dinner was served to the following on Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Westley and daughters, Meda and Jane; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton G. Moyer, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Benner and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Westley.

The Rev. Alfred Mertz will administer Holy Communion at Huff's church Sunday, at 10 a.m.

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THE REV. CHARLES V. Naugle will conduct services at St. Peter's church Sunday.

The following new members were received into the Huff's Church: Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Brumm, Mrs. Joseph Duelfer, William E. Moser Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Swavely.

The 1966 Lutheran year books may be obtained from the church council or Clinton G. Moyer. The Lutheran Church council will meet Monday at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Draeher, Marshfield, Wis., spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crum.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reinert attended Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hilbert and family.

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MARILYN CRUM, Silver Springs, Md., spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crum.

The following were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reinert: Mr. and Mrs. John Reinert and daughter, Nancy, Oley; Mrs. John Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Minnich and children, Sheila and Dwight, Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Reitnauer and sons, Marvin and Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis C. Zern and son, Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reitnauer.

COLLISION

A car driven by Roger S. McGlocklin, 106 King street, collided with a car driven by Monica Margaret Hegedus, 326 Cherry street, at the intersection of South street and South Hanover street, Patrolman Woodrow L. Edinger said. He estimated total damage at a value of $185. There was no injury.

AWNING FIRE

A canvas awning caught fire at the Potato market, 380 High street, Thursday morning at about 7:30 o'clock. The police said the fire apparently was caused by either a short circuit or a cigaret.

The number for news tips is 323-3000.

FORECAST

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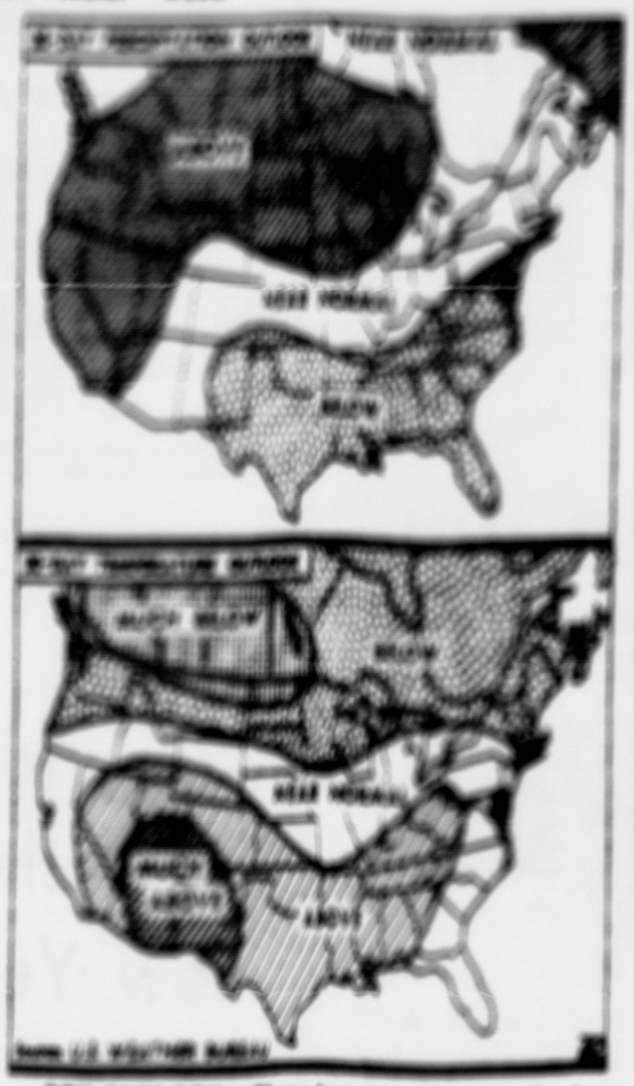

DRY OUTLOOK—These two maps diagram the type weather the various parts of the nation may expect, in general, over the next 30 days. As the new year, 1966, commences, it will continue to be near the normal temperature range and you better get used to the absence of snow.

The top map shows the precipitation outlook, and Pottstown is located in the southeastern part of Pennsylvania marked by the dotted area. The lower map shows temperatures, with this portion of the State in the white band of "near normal" conditions.

Car Rolls Over As Steering Fails

A motorist whose car rolled over several times and landed on its roof on Squirrel Hollow road near the Pottstown Trap Rock quarry Thursday said the auto's steering broke.

Frank Lollar, 21, Douglassville RD 1, told Edgar Bush, patrolman in Douglass (Berks) township, where the mishap occurred, that he couldn't avoid the crash.

Lollar, who was unhurt, was westbound on Squirrel Hollow road when the vehicle flipped over. Is was a 1950 sedan, badly damaged by the crash.

Friendship Church Schedules Services

The Watchnight service in Friendship Baptist church will be tonight at 10 o'clock.

The service will consist of prayers and testimonies.

The Rev. Ozzie Garlington, pastor, will be in charge.

The number for news tips is 323-3000.

BOARD TELLS LAND OWNER HE'S WRONG

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Payment Withheld In Lower Frederick

[illegible] fee, but because of the condition of the road's shoulders and paving, has changed its decision.

Frank D. Morgan, chairman of the board, presided over the special year ending meeting to clear and pay all bills.

Troop 113 Mothers Auxiliary to Meet

TRAPPE—[illegible]

The Mothers Auxiliary of the Boy Scouts an Explorers of Trappe Troop 113 will meet at the home of Mrs. Lewis Brunch Thursday at 8:00 p.m. Mrs. Brunch lives at 207 East First avenue, Trappe.

HURT SKATING

Mary Gitschier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Gitschier, 90 North Hills boulevard, fell while ice skating and broke her arm, a spokesman for Pottstown hospital said.

HANGS SELF

Lance West, Honey Brook, hanged himself in Weatherford, Tex., after being apprehended by authorities there. He was being held as a runaway from a detention home in Pennsylvania.

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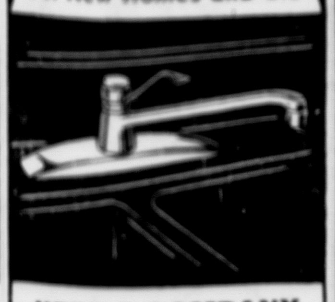
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Most of Market Moves Upward

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Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yoder Entertain Area Families at Dinner

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Detwiler entertained at a Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Detwiler and Naomi Ruth, Souderton, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brunk and family, Royersford.

Mr. and Mrs. William Keeler entertained at a holiday dinner: Mr. and Mrs. James Keeler, Judy and Deanna Keeler, Mrs. Elizabeth Nyce, J. Wilmer Rosenberger, Harleysville; Mrs. Doris Mest and daughter, Tanya, York, and Rodney Mill, Blooming Glen.

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MR. AND MRS. Paul Forsythe and son, Daryl, spent the holiday weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Forsythe and family, New Buffalo, where they attended a retirement party for Tom Forsythe.

Mrs. Mamie Bucher entertained at a Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. James Weaver, Broadview, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bucher and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bucher, Lansdale.

Mrs. Alice Heavener and daughter, Eleanor, School lane, and Mrs. Mildred Weldy, Sarasota, Fla., were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Heavener and family, High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Delp entertained at a Christmas dinner; Mr. and Mrs. Ar- [illegible]

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MR. AND MRS. Paul Forsythe and son, Darryl, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schunck and family, Barto, R.D. 1.

Alice and Eva Ziegler were guests on Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ziegler, Hatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Freed and Ella Ritter were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Overholtzer and Lydia Walt.

The annual Ritter family Christmas gathering was held at the Harleysville school with 84 members of the family attending.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shannon, Telford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Styer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Godshall and family, S. Park drive, entertained these guests at a dinner on Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Freed and son, David Ella Ritter and Katie Godshall, Harleysville; Mrs. Margaret Keeler, Pennsburg, and Tom Himmelbach, Milford Square.

Aunt Tilly having a birthday party? Uncle Harry getting a medal? Telephone The Mercury with the news and you may be awarded part of $10 given weekly in a news tip contest.

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HIGH - FRICK

Mr. and Mrs. Donald High, [illegible] West Third street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sandra, to Lawrence Frick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Frick Sr., Pottstown RD 3.

Miss High is a 1966 graduate of Pottstown Senior High school and is employed by [illegible] corporation, Douglassville, as a secretary. Mr. Frick attended Spring-Ford Senior High school and is employed by Walton and McClure, contractors of Norristown.

A Fall wedding is being planned.

TEMPLETON - WADE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Templeton, 1020 West Marshall street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Joyce Mari to Fredrick Scott Wade, son of Mrs. Sara Wade, Pottstown Star route, and the late Robert Wade.

Miss Templeton, a 1964 graduate of Norristown High school and a 1965 graduate of Sacred Heart Hospital School of Practical Nursing. She is employed at the Norristown State hospital.

Mr. Wade, a 1962 graduate of Owen J. Roberts High school, is employed at the Firestone Tire and Rubber company.

HUDELSON-HOLLOWBUSH

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hudelson, Green Lane RD 1, announce the engagement of their daughter, Daphne Louise to Ronald E. Hollowbush, son of Mr. and

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No wedding date has been set.

STOLTZFUS-RITTENHOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer B. Stoltzfus, Elverson RD 1, announce the engagement of their daughter, Esther Eileen to James D. Rittenhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman A. Rittenhouse, Lansdale RD 1.

BARBARA LaRUE FISHER

ESTHER EILEEN STOLTZFUS

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No wedding date has been set.

FISHER-MATHIAS

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fisher, 713 Sheridan street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara LaRue to Stanley L. Mathias, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mathias Sr., Boyertown RD 2.

Miss Fisher is a graduate of Pottstown High school and is employed at the Valley Forge Flag company, Spring City. Her fiance attended Boyertown High school and is employed at Union Manufacturing Incorporated, Boyertown.

An April wedding is being planned.

SACKS-RAPP

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Sacks, 173 East Seventh avenue, Trappe, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kay, to Charles A. Rapp Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rapp Sr., 407 East Ninth avenue, Collegeville, at a family dinner on Christmas eve.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rapp Sr., Richard, Doris and Shirley Rapp; Mrs. Adelaide E. MacFaun, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Sacks, Betty Jane, James and Sue Sacks; Mrs. Emma Toal, Kay Sacks and Charles A. Rapp Jr.

Miss Sacks graduated from Collegeville-Trappe High school in 1965 and is employed at the Firestone store. Mr. Rapp graduated from the same high school in 1963 and is employed with Philco corporation, Lansdale, as a technician.

He is a member of the U. S. Naval reserve and will report to active duty Feb. 8, 1966.

No date has been set for the wedding.

BARBARA W. WIEAND

Shower Honors Ruth E. Moyer

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The wedding is tomorrow in the [illegible] church at 11 a.m.

The shower was given by the bride's mother and Betty Kratz, sister of the groom. Forty guests attended. Refreshments were served.

Wedding Anniversaries

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rose, 622 Walnut street, Spring City, 16 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kurtz Sr., 862 Queen street, 11 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Conrad, 452 Spruce street, 38 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Fichtel, 319 High street, 44 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Gibson, 793 Beech street, 24 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Petro, 626 Beech street, 21 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Feight, 663 Walnut street, 32 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pierce K. Grimley, Grosstown road, 47 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Erb Sr., Ellis Woods road, Pottstown RD 1, 31 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jessie J. Boyer, Gilbertsville RD 1, 37 years.

Women's Activities

Many Songs of Christmas Highlight Vincent Program

Pupils Perform for Classmates And Parents at Elementary School Building

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Grace Yeager sang "Christmas Lullaby" and "St. Nicholas." A second section sang "Santa Claus Comes" and "Jingle Bells." "By the Starlight" and "Jolly Old St. Nicholas" were the selections of Peggy [illegible]'s classroom.

A first grade ensemble sang "Merry Christmas."

Second grade pupils sang "Long Ago," "We Wish You a Merry Christmas," "The [illegible] Christmas Eve," "Now It Is Yule," "The Friendly Beasts" and "Christmastime."

An ensemble from the three sections sang "O Come Little Children."

Mary Jane Comfort's third [illegible]

[illegible]

Fifth grade pupils of Mrs. [illegible] sang "What Child Is This" and "Silent Night" in German and English. Mrs. Pauline [illegible]'s pupils sang "Tum, Tum, Tum" and the spiritual "Go Tell It To the Mountain."

"The Twelve Days of Christmas" was sung by an ensemble of fifth graders.

Mrs. Mary Youngblood's sixth grade group sang "Pat-a-Pan" and "White Christmas." Joseph [illegible]'s class presented "Wassail Song" and "The First Noel."

"Angels We Have Heard on High" and "Silver Bells" were sung by C. Albert Latchaw's sixth grade pupils. The ensemble sang "Never A Child Like This."

Sandra K. Davies is music teacher at the school. Harry W. [illegible] is principal.

Chit Chat

MRS. CHARLOTTE [illegible], Dayton, Ohio, is visiting her daughter and son in law, Mr. and Mrs. David Elliott, Longview road, Pottstown RD 3. She is accompanied by her daughter and son in law, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Irwin, Dayton, Ohio.

West Vincent Housewives Have Post Holiday Meeting

Mrs. Harold Loomis Tells Story Of Holly and Leads Carol Singing

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Greetings were received from a former member, [illegible]. The committee for the meeting was Mrs. Harold Loomis, Mrs. Charles Kulp and Mrs. James Strickland.

Mrs. Loomis gave the story of holly which included the growth, use and holly society. She led the carol singing accompanying the group on an autoharp.

Mrs. [illegible] Seiple was welcomed as a new member. It was decided to do handwork at the Jan. 22 meeting at 1:30 p.m. at a place to be announced.

The refreshment table was festive with candles and favors and Mrs. Emery presented each member a linen 1966 calendar.

Attending were Mr. A. Russell Brown, Mrs. Emery, Mrs. Garvine, Mrs. Harvey Haltzman, Mrs. [illegible] Haltzman, C. [illegible] Hoffman, Mrs. D. C. Knauer, Mrs. Charles Kulp, Mrs. C. Ray Loomis and Mrs. [illegible] Loomis.

Also, Mrs. Loomis, Mrs. Strickland, Mrs. Kathryn Stillwell, Mrs. Wilson Webster, Mrs. Frank West, Mrs. Seiple and one guest, Mrs. Mae Atkinson.

Marriage Licenses

Application for a marriage license was made in Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by:

Kenneth Allen [illegible], [illegible], and Linda Jean [illegible], Schwenksville.

Applications for marriage licenses were made in Berks county courthouse, Reading, by:

George W. [illegible] Jr., Boyertown RD 2, and Mary Jane [illegible], [illegible] RD 1.

Albert R. McMullen, Douglassville RD 1, and Linda Lee [illegible], [illegible] RD 2.

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Neville Cook Home Scene Of Gathering

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Cook, Collegeville - Phoenixville road, Collegeville, entertained Christmas dinner guests. They were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis, Phoenixville.

An "Open House" Christmas gathering included these members of the family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cage, Mrs. William Hayes, Chester Springs; Mrs. Kenneth Jefferis, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Christman, Phoenixville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cook and son, Peter, were Christmas weekend guests.

Fig Pudding Is Delicious Dessert for Winter Meals

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
(Associated Press Food Editor)

OF COURSE there'll be pumpkin pie on the holiday dessert table. But if it is your custom to have more than one sweet offering at this festive time, you might like to serve fig pudding. This pudding in its steamed version, rich with suet, has appeared on American holiday tables over the years. Should you want to try an updated baked version, less rich than the oldtime variety, here is a recipe:

BAKED FIG PUDDING

2 cups sifted enriched flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
½ cup (1 stick) butter or margarine
⅔ cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 large eggs
1 cup milk
12 ounces table-variety dried figs, finely chopped (about 2 cups)
1 cup chopped walnuts
Pudding accompaniments

Thoroughly grease a 1½-quart fluted tube pan. On a piece of wax paper, sift together the flour, baking powder and salt. In a large mixing bowl cream the butter, sugar and vanilla; beat in eggs, one at a time. Beat in sifted dry ingredients (in several additions) alternately with milk, beginning and ending with dry ingredients and blending after each addition. Stir in figs and walnuts. Turn into prepared tube pan. Bake in a preheated moderate (350 degrees) oven until a cake tester inserted in center comes out free of batter—50 to 55 minutes. Place pudding in pan on wire rack to cool for about 10 minutes. Carefully loosen edges with a small spatula; turn out on serving plate. Serve warm with preferred pudding sauce and whipped cream. Makes 8 to 12 servings.

FLOUR NOTES: The above recipe calling for sifted regular flour was also tested with sifted self-rising flour; if you wish to use the latter, omit the baking powder and salt.

The recipe was also tested with unsifted regular flour. If you wish to omit the sifting, spoon the flour directly from its container into a 1-cup measure for dry ingredients; level off with a spatula; remove 2 level tablespoons of the flour; turn the remaining flour in the cup onto a piece of wax paper. Repeat the process. To this flour add the baking powder and salt; thoroughly stir together and proceed as directed in the recipe.

STORING SUGGESTION: If you wish to make the pudding well ahead of serving, wrap the cold pudding in foil (using a drugstore fold over the top and turning up the ends) and refrigerate. At serving time, place the pudding in its unopened foil wrapping in a preheated moderate (350 degrees) oven until warm through — 20 minutes or longer.

PUDDING ACCOMPANIMENTS: A fruit-flavored (lemon, orange or pineapple) pudding sauce and whipped cream are excellent accompaniments for this dessert. A little of the sauce may be poured over the warm pudding and the rest passed; the whipped cream may be spooned into a smaller container that fits into the center tube-cavity of the pudding.

Christening Dinner Given In Trappe

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Girl Scouts Sing Carols At Hospital, Nursing Home

Parties for Junior and Cadette Troops Of Birchrunville Area Precede Trip to Phoenixville

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Linda Soles Honored at Bridal Fete

To Wed Joseph Bulli On New Year's Day

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CREAM CELERY

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Lewises Have Holiday Guests

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Suzanne Spaid Feted at Party

[illegible]

Speaking of Manners

By PATRICIA LEWIS

Etiquette For Sickroom

WHAT'S YOUR Q.Q.?

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1. Call in advance to make sure a visit is desirable?
2. Avoid upsetting or overstimulating the patient?
3. Find cheerful topics to talk about?
4. Bring an appropriate gift, like a book or game to while away tedious hours?
5. Avoid handling the patient's glass or other items in the sick room?
6. Avoid sneaking around a sick person?
7. Plump pillows and straighten covers only if the patient ask for help?
8. Put your coat and hat on a chair or in the guest closet instead of depositing them on the patient's bed?
9. Make your visit short to avoid overtiring the patient?
10. Stay away completely if you have a cold yourself?

While Mrs. Lewis cannot undertake to answer individual letters, she will use readers' questions in her column whenever possible and when they are of general interest. Address your letters to Patricia Lewis in care of The Mercury.

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By

BEA ROSENBERRY

A NEW Year to celebrate! The grand new things to anticipate include new friends, new fashions, new homes and new homes. Perhaps there'll even be a new "you" too! Drab humdrumness may be gone forever with more creative pursuits. Certainly with all the newer designs, women are freer than ever of staggering maintenance chores. So far the New Year resolve to "be yourself" and discover the magnetic charms of high fashion at

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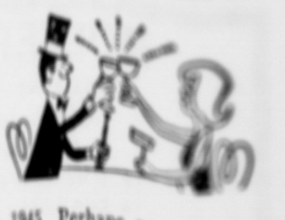

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out of the shell too. Chuck told me that the demand for oysters was greater last weekend than expected . . . regrettably a few customers were denied the highly esteemed bivalve. Oysters are highly perishable and only the very best and the ultra fresh are sold at Tornabene's. To be absolutely sure of getting the amounts I want, I always call in advance, and I think it helps Chuck to accurately appraise the heavier weekend demand. Tornabene's will be open until 5 p.m. today. Try just out of water fish and shellfish for the New Year . . . Touch 326-0539.

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Providence, St. Joe's Win

Friars Nip BC for NY Title

NEW YORK (AP) — [illegible]

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10 For Providence

Boston College took the lead [illegible]

Walker's jump shot made it [illegible]

Providence built a nine-point lead before Boston made it close again in the last minute as John Austin scored five points and Steve Adelman two.

2 Free Throws

Walker scored only two free throws until some 7½ minutes had elapsed in the first half. Then in the next 5½ minutes, he whipped in 16 points and wound up scoring 22 of Providence's last 28 points in the half, which ended with Boston College leading 45-40.

Walker, who received 31 of 33 votes for the MVP award, had a chance to break Robertson's record when he was fouled with less than a minute remaining. He made the first free throw for his 50th point but his second toss bounced off the rim as the crowd groaned.

The 6-foot-3 junior from Boston finished with 16 of 26 field goal attempts and 18 of 20 free throws.

18 Rebounds

Walters, who went into the game as the tournament's leading rebounder with 45, pulled down 18 more and led BC with 26 points. Austin, the Eagles' ace shooter, scored only seven points in the first half, but wound up with 23.

The victory for the Friars was their eighth in nine games while Boston now is 7-2.

In the battle for third place, Mike Silliman and Bill Schutsky powered Army to its victory.

Silliman poured in 26 points and Schutsky added 20 including 14 late in the second half after Illinois had cut the Cadet lead to 64-56. Schutsky put in a jump shot and two free throws increasing the Army lead to 12 points.

Hawks Club Temple, 97-65

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The St. Joseph's Hawks crushed previously unbeaten Temple 97-65 Thursday night to win the Quaker City Basketball tournament for the third time in the tourney's five-year history.

The eighth-ranked Hawks snapped a 10-game Temple winning streak with a fast break [illegible]

ST. JOSEPH'S	G	F	P	TEMPLE	G	F	P
[illegible]				[illegible]			

MINNESOTA	G	F	P	LaSALLE	G	F	P
[illegible]				[illegible]			

BRIGHAM YOUNG	G	F	P	CORNELL	G	F	P
[illegible]				[illegible]			

attack and a tight man-to-man defense that forced the Owls into poor shots and ruptured Temple's pattern offense.

In consolation games, a nine-point spree by Archie Clark carried the Minnesota Gophers to a 92-87 victory over LaSalle and third place, while Brigham Young took fifth place with a 105-92 win over Cornell as the Cougars' Dick Nemelka and Steve Kramer scored 67 points between them.

Oakes Hits 14

St. Joseph's built an almost insurmountable first half margin. Little Billy Oakes flipped in 14, Matt Goukas 12, and Cliff Anderson 11 in a first half attack that produced 22 field goals and only one free throw conversion.

The Hawks soared to a 6-0 lead, increased it to 19-8, 25-10 and 45-25 at halftime.

In the battle for third place, Clark broke open a tight game to give Minnesota the victory over LaSalle.

Clark Scores 31

Clark, who scored 31 points, hit from the field with 5:35 to go, tying the score at 73. He then broke for three more field goals around a lone two-pointer by LaSalle's Gerry Marano and the Gophers had their seventh win in nine games and second of three in the tournament.

Hubie Marshall scored 21 for LaSalle.

Nemelka scored 38 and Kramer 29 as Brigham Young won its eighth of nine games. The Cougars moved ahead four minutes into the first half and led the rest of the way.

Sgeve Cram topped Cornell with 30 points and led a second half rally which brought the Ivy Leaguers from a 16-point deficit to within six points with five minutes remaining.

Nemelka and Kramer scored consecutive baskets to start another Brigham Young surge that clinched the game.

SOME DO, SOME DON'T—LaSalle's Jerry Marano (with ball, left photo) snatches ball away from Minnesota's Paul Presthus during consolation game of Quaker City tournament at Philadelphia Thursday night. LaSalle's Dave Bodnarik (31) watches. In right photo, nobody wants it, as St. Joseph's Tom Duff (40) and Temple's Jim Williams (right) watch ball roll out of bounds. St. Joseph's won the game, 97-65 to take the championship. — AP Wirephoto

Orange Juice, Extra Shooting Help Colonels Rip Conshohocken for 1st Nod

No. 1 at last.

The string was broken for Collegeville-Trappe's basketball team Thursday winning its first game in nine tries, over Conshohocken, 54-47.

And no one was happier than Colonel coach George Hill. "We are all elated over the victory," he said. "The boys really wanted this one and worked hard for it."

Before the Colonels could win Thursday night, they had to lick a "third quarter" jinx.

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"IT SEEMED that we just don't seem to function the third quarters," said Hill, "in some of our losses we were in pretty good shape at the half but come up with three or four points in th third quarter and fall way behind."

But Hill had the answer Thursday night: orange juice and some extra shooting.

The Colonels held a 25-23 halftime lead, when the coach gave his team orange juice during the intermission break, then cut his halftime talk down and sent the team back on the floor to start warming up early.

"I had to do something to break the jinx," said Hill. "I knew that if we got off to a good start in the second half we could take it."

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AND THAT'S just what the Colonels did, "take it." Scoring 13 in the third quarter and 16 in the fourth to win going away.

Collegeville got an extra boost out of Richard Hefelfinger, who scored 27 points, and most of these were scored on long set shots or driving layups.

"Everybody played well," said the coach. "Fischer (Gary) really came through with a good play-making job and Lock (Phil) and Kotsch (Fred) gave us an edge in rebounding."

Krish also chipped in with 11 points and Gary Moyer had nine to help take the scoring burden off Hefelfinger.

Next on the Colonels docket is Bridgeport, an Inter-County opponent next Friday night. "We are in the best shape we've been in all year," said Hill. "We had some injuries in the beginning, but we are pretty good shape now, with the exception of Donahue (Ken), who is out for the year.

The Colonels avenged an earlier 68-67 loss to Conshohocken, and won the Jayvee contest, 53-37.

VARSITY

Conshohocken	G	F	P	C-T	G	F	P
Fischer	[illegible]			Moyer	[illegible]		9
H. Noble				Lock			4
Ault				Hefelfinger	11	5	27
Barney				Fisher			1
P. Noble				Krisch			11
Bicoli				Miller			0
Magram				Gumbarger			2
Johnson				Grosholz			0
Totals	16	15	47	Totals	17	19	54

Conshohocken	9	14	14	10	—47
C-T	10	12	13	16	—54

JUNIOR VARSITY

Conshohocken	G	F	P	C-T	G	F	P
Fleck	[illegible]			Cooper			9
Moyer				Hunsicker			22
Bryl				Cole			6
Lutz				McDaugh			4
Mowlowski				Henderson			0
Doran				Bryant			7
Bell			10	Buth			3
				Barney			2
Totals	15	3	33	Totals	22	9	53

Conshohocken	4	10	4	11	—22
C-T	14	18	9	12	—53

Russell Hauls in 16,000th Rebound For NBA Record; Celts Win 116-113

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — Big Bill Russell became the first player in National Basketball Association history to grab more than 16,000 rebounds as the Boston Celtics fought off the stubborn San Francisco Warriors to win a 116-113 victory Thursday night.

Russell, with 28 rebounds, raised his all-time total to 16,023.

While the former San Francisco ace was taking care of the rebounds John Havlicek, Don Nelson and Tom Sanders provided the scoring punch that saw the champion Celtics edge the Warriors in the last minute of play.

BOSTON	G	F	T	SAN FRANCISCO	G	F	T
Naulls	2	0-0	4	Meschery	5	1-9	19
Sanders	11	1-1	23	Barry	8	3-3	19
Russell	3	0-0	6	Th'rm'nd	8	4-7	20
K. Jones	4	1-2	9	Attles	8	1-4	17
S. Jones	4	5-6	13	Rodgers	10	3-3	23
Counts	0	0-0	0	M'Lem'e	1	0-0	2
Havl'k	11	0-0	22	Neum'n	1	0-0	2
Nelson	8	9-11	25	Olsen	1	0-0	2
				Phillips	4	1-2	9
Totals	46	20-23	116	Totals	50	13-18	113

Boston	28	35	22	30	—116
San Francisco	29	28-29		27	—113

Attendance 4,997.

for Los Angeles with 23 seconds left. The Lakers called time out with five seconds on the clock but failed to get off a shot.

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Hawks End 76er Skein

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (AP) — Newcomers Rod Thorn and Joe Caldwell sparked the St. Louis Hawks to a 130-113 victory over the Philadelphia 76ers in a National Basketball Association game Thursday night.

The triumph snapped a three-game losing streak and ended a three-game victory skein for the 76ers before the turnaway crowd of 10,614.

PHILADELPHIA	G	F	T	ST. LOUIS	G	F	T
Ch'b'l'n	9	5-12	23	Beaty	10	3-3	23
Cun'g'm	9	5-10	23	Bridges	7	1-1	15
Walker	5	3-5	13	W'm'g'le	6	6-8	18
Greer	5	8-8	18	Guerin	6	3-3	15
Jones	3	4-4	10	Wilk'ns	4	4-6	12
Bianchi	1	2-2	4	Hogue	1	5-6	7
Gambee	4	4-4	12	T'ren'le	2	0-0	4
Jackson	0	3-4	3	Thorn	7	6-7	20
Heyman	2	3-3	7	Mullins	1	0-0	2
				Silas	1	0-0	2
				Caldwell	9	3-3	21
Totals	38	37-50	113	Totals	53	30-36	130

Philadelphia	22	30	30	31	—113
St. Louis	30	27	33	30	—130

Attendance 10,614.

Pistons Snap Skid

FORT WAYNE, Ind. (AP) — Detroit broke an eight-game National Basketball Association losing streak by beating Los Angeles 117-114 Thursday night.

The Pistons, last in the Western Division, had failed to beat division leader Los Angeles in four previous meetings this season.

Detroit lost a 10-point lead as Los Angeles tied the score at 113-113 on Jim King's only field goal of the game with 1:08 to play, but two free throws by John Barnhill with 26 seconds left put the Pistons in front again.

Jerry West hit a free throw

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LOS ANGELES	G	F	T	DETROIT	G	F	T
Baylor	2	0-0	4	Deb'c'e	9	2-2	20
Boozer	7	3-4	17	Scott			13
Imhoff	1	0-0	2	Straw'r	2	2-3	6
West	12	10-11	34	Miles	7	2-3	16
Hazzard	15	2-3	32	V'Ar'le	5	5-8	15
Larusso	7	3-3	17	Tresvant	7	5-7	19
Ellis	0	2-3	2	Barnhill	1	2-3	4
Goodr'h	1	0-0	2	Kojis	4	2-3	10
Wiley	0	2-3	2	Vaughn	6	2-3	14
King	1	0-0	2				
Totals	46	22-27	114	Totals	46	25-36	117

Los Angeles	34	28	25	27	—114
Detroit	22	36	35	24	—117

Attendance 3,608.

MIGHT BE SPIES—When the Green Bay Packers withdrew to far corner of practice field Thursday to avoid prying eyes, these two youngsters managed a double-deck peek through fence around the field. When policeman approached, they disappeared.

Sportspourri

Starr Not Set—Lombardi

PACKERS PREPARING— Packers' **Jim Taylor** favored a pulled groin muscle in preparations for Sunday's NFL title game, but expects to see plenty of action . . . **Bart Starr** was still below par in his passing, but said confidently "I plan to play." Coach **Vince Lombardi** said "he's got to throw a lot better than he did today," in reply to the question of whether Starr would start . . . The title game will be seventh for kicker **Don Chandler . . . Paul Hornung** appears to be ready for the game, also . . . On the Cleveland slate, QB **Frank Ryan** was given the green light to practice, after being felled by a virus . . . Browns' tackle **Dick Schafrath** will also be ready . . . **Jack Brabham,** Australia's former world champion auto driver, set unofficial lap record over the East London Grand Prix circuit with 102.91 mph in a three-liter Repco-Brabham . . . **Tom Blanchfield,** former star halfback UCal, was reported slightly improved but still in critical condition with congestive heart failure.

VINCE LOMBARDI

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ICE-Y DEAL — Boston **Bruins** traded veteran left-winger **Parker McDonald** to the Detroit Red Wings of the NHL for center **Hubert Martin . . . Jim Ryun,** Kansas freshman, cut almost six seconds off the Sugar Bowl record in the 1500-meter run Thursday, with 3:42.7, which is about equal to a 3:59 mile run. **Charles Christmas** of Abilene Christian was second, **George Scott** of New Mexico third, and **Tommy Farrell** of St. John's fourth . . . NY Rangers exchanged left wingers with their Baltimore affiliate (AHL), recalling **Ted Taylor** and sending **Doug Robinson** to Clippers . . . The Sydney yacht **Balandra** sailed into Hobart, running second in the Sydney-Hobart race after the South African ketch **Stormvogel . . . Veikko Kankkonen,** Finland's Olympic champion, won the opening event of the international four-hill ski jumping meet in Oberstdorf, Germany. **John Balfanz** of Minneapolis was fifth. East Germany's **Dieter Neuendorf** was second, and recorded the longest jump of the day, 246 feet . . . **Don Smith** scored 29 points and **Al Koch** added 17 as Iowa State defeated Oklahoma 87-82 to take third place in the Big Eight basketball tournament.

Sports Results

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Boston 116, San Francisco 113
Detroit 117, Los Angeles 114
St. Louis 130, Philadelphia 113

Eastern Division

	Won	Lost	Pct.	Behind
Boston	24	9	.727	—
Cincinnati	23	13	.639	2½
Philadelphia	21	13	.618	3½
New York	12	22	.353	12½

Western Division

	Won	Lost	Pct.	Behind
Los Angeles	23	18	.561	—
Baltimore	19	19	.500	2½
St. Louis	14	20	.412	5½
San Francisco	17	24	.415	6
Detroit	10	25	.286	10

Friday's Schedule
No games

Saturday's Schedule
Cnicinnati at New York
Boston at St. Louis
Detroit at Baltimore

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Texas Western Banks on Soph QB

EL PASO, Tex. (AP) —Texas Western's sophomore quarterback Billy Stevens sends his receivers into a touted Texas Christian secondary Friday in the 31st Sun Bowl football game.

That secondary stopped the passing of Baylor and Florida State and hopes to do the same to young Stevens who had 21 TD passes and 3,032 yards during the Miners' 7-3 season.

The Texas Christian offense will be geared to senior quarterback Kent Nix.

"Nix has to have a good day for me to be a good coach," says coach Eddy Martin.

Martin's Horned Frogs were 6-4 during the regular season and tied for second place in the Southwest Conference with Texas Tech.

Nix passes only when necessary and relies more on the running of Kenny Post and Steve Landon who compiled more than 1,000 yards between them in ten games.

The Weather Bureau said Western's Stevens can expect partly cloudy skies and temperatures in the high 50s for the aerial show.

Knicks Shift Game With 76ers to Feb. 8

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Knickerbockers have announced two changes in their National Basketball Association home schedule.

New York's game against Philadelphia, which was postponed on Dec. 4 because of the death of 76ers' owner Ike Richman, will be played on Feb. 8. The Knicks-St. Louis game originally scheduled for Feb. 8 has been moved back to March 22.

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... Specifically, the firm's report showed 35 per cent of the adult audience for pro football and 38 per cent for NCAA games were female.

Feminine TV interest is even greater for bowling and golf. The survey tabbed the female percentage of adult audiences at 48 per cent for bowling and 40 per cent for golf.

The survey did not indicate if the little woman had any other choice.

Evansville Retains Lead in 'Small' Poll

By The Associated Press

The Evansville Aces, rebounding with two victories after sustaining their first loss in 44 games to a small college team, continues to hold a slim lead in the Associated Press small-college basketball poll. Southern Illinois replaced Central State of Ohio in the runner-up position.

There was some additional minor shuffling among the top 10 teams, notably the rise of Mt. St. Mary's, Evansville's conqueror two weeks ago, to 10th place.

The Top Ten, with points on a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through games of last Saturday and total points:

1. Evansville (4)	5-2	101
2. Southern Illinois (3)	6-1	97
3. Central State Ohio (1)	5-1	86
4. Grambling	8-0	73
5. North Dakota	6-2	65
6. Akron	7-0	53
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JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Donny Anderson, Texas Tech's two-time All-America halfback star, will sign a contract with the Green Bay Packers Friday for around $600,000, making him the highest paid rookie ever in professional football, The Associated Press ...

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Anderson's attorney, H. J. (Doc) Blanchard of Lubbock, Tex., said the athlete would make a decision after Friday's Gator Bowl game against Georgia Tech.

Formal signing will be held approximately two hours later at a Jacksonville hotel. At that time, Blanchard said, the two bidding teams had been asked to have representatives and checkbooks ready.

"I honestly do not know which team Donny will pick, myself," Blanchard said. "I am merely drawing up contracts and studying the various financial angles. It will be up to him to make the decision."

He did say, however, that the over-all financial package would be less than the $800,000 reportedly offered by Bud Adams, owner of the Oilers, but still would be enough to give Anderson the biggest football contract ever signed.

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It was learned unofficially that the terms would total around $600,000, with a three year no-cut clause, a fat bonus and various fringe benefits after he is through playing football.

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Unionville 74, Downingtown 41
Springfield 41, Devon Prep 42, overtime
Conestoga 68, Radnor 62
Methacton 56, Marple-Newton 43
Williamsport St. Joseph 59, Loyalsock 53
Williamsport 80, Shamokin Lourdes 69
Delone Catholic 67, Westminister (Md) 41
West Pittston 69, Pocono Mountain 55
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Slatington 78, Pleasant Valley 36

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Our sincere wishes that 1966 will be a year of boundless good fortune for you and your loved ones.

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RESTAURANT

[illegible]

Sing a song of New Year, months all filled with joy... [illegible]

JOE A. PIKE

[illegible]

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And it's a crown studded with jewels of joy, wealth, happiness and good cheer! [illegible] wear and share it.

Boyertown Mutual Insurance Co.

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Here's a new edition of a classic wish: A very Happy New Year to you. Let's hope that 1966 has a lot of happy days booked for all of us.

SANDS
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[illegible], Boyertown

Best wishes for New Years

May all the forces of good luck gather to make your New Year one of the happiest ever! We wish for our friends and neighbors a year of health, cheer and prosperity! Happy 1966!

BOYERTOWN ORIOLES

Fourth and Washington Sts.
Boyertown

New Year Greetings

Just a baby . . . but oh my! What a wealth of joy we hope the New Year brings to you!

MUTTER'S PRETZELS

Boyertown, Pa.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Let's celebrate! It's the birthday of another year and we're wishing that '66 is the happiest year yet, for everyone!

WARREN W. JOHNSON

38 NORTH READING AVENUE
BOYERTOWN Phone 367-2435

Here's to you, customers and friends! If our wishing can make it so, 1966 will be a grand and glorious year, with all the best of everything for you.

ERNEST H. REIFSNYDER

[illegible]
Central House, [illegible] E. Phila. Ave., Boyertown [illegible]

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!!

KUSER
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New Year GREETINGS

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Season's Greetings

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Greetings for New Year

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Best Wishes for the New Year

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GREETINGS

Here we come with a full measure of New Year's greetings for you. May 1966 exceed your greatest expectations, prove to be in every way your best year ever!

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Main St., Schwenksville
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Our New Year's wishes for you are as big as the sky—may you find new worlds to conquer and may all the good things come your way during 1966.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!

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Ring out the Old . . . Ring in the New . . . and may 1966 bring to you the very best of everything!

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NEWS AGENCY
BOYERTOWN, PA.

Our hearty wishes for the grandest New Year ever, we send this day to you.

Season's Greetings

STU SCHAEFFER APPLIANCES

FRIGIDAIRE SALES and SERVICE
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Boyertown Phone 367-2535

Greet your friends from far and near,
Ring the bells in all good cheer,
For here's a brand new, bright New Year!
And with it comes our wish sincere
That everything's going to be just fine
For our friends and neighbors in '66
Good luck, and a hearty thank you, too,
For all your patronage so loyal and true
And for the pleasure of serving you.

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IT'S QUEER BUT TRUE

THE OLD HOME TOWN — by STANLEY

EVER HAPPEN TO YOU? — by BLAKE

Your Horoscope

The Stars Say

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

I SAW MY first bull fight in Madrid a short time ago and don't particularly care if I never see another. I gather that the fine artistry and technique that once marked the ideal matador is no longer the fashion. Spanish fans now adore El Cordobes, a man of singular daring, but one whose technique is something akin to that featured on the baseball diamond by Marvelous Marv Throneberry of the Miserable Mets.

One Spanish matador sought to win Madrid headlines by parachuting into the arena one Sunday afternoon. Unfortunately, just as he was about to land to the "Oles" of the assemblage, a sudden gust of wind caught his parachute and deposited him in the city's largest and most odoriferous garbage dump.

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When George Washington was on his way up in pre-Revolutionary days, he attended an important conclave where plans for major campaigns were discussed. Later Washington's aide asked what the meeting was about. Washington whispered, "Can you keep a secret, my lad?" "I most certainly can," nodded the aide vehemently. "Good," said George Washington. "So can I."

TV Today

3 KYW-TV · 6 WFIL-TV · 10 WCAU-TV · 12 WHYY-TV

Morning

5:40 10 NEWS
5:45 3 FARM AND MARKET NEWS
10 SUMMER SEMESTER
5:50 3 NEWS
5:55 3 SEA POWER
6:15 10 WHAT IN THE WORLD?
6:25 3 MEDICAL KNOWLEDGE
6:35 6 NEWS
6:45 6 R. F. D. 6
10 BILL BENNETT'S ALAMANAC
6:55 3 BULLETIN BOARD
7:00 3 TODAY (C)
6 HOLIDAY MUSIC
10 NEWS
7:05 10 NEWS
7:30 10 GENE LONDON
6 GLORIA (C)
8:00 10 CAPTAIN KANGAROO
6 CARTOON CIRCUS (C)
9:00 3 BACHELOR FATHER
10 PIXANNE
6 FILM FEATURE
9:30 10 LEAVE IT TO BEAVER
6 FEATURES FOR WOMEN
3 PDQ (C)
12 CLASSROOMS
9:40 6 NEWS AND WEATHER
9:45 6 FILM SHORT
10:00 3 FRACTURED PHRASES: game (C)
6 LARRY FERRARI
10 I LOVE LUCY
10:25 3 NEWS
10:30 6 FATHER KNOWS BEST
10 McCOYS
3 CONCENTRATION
11:00 3 MORNING STAR (C)
6 SUPERMARKET SWEEPSTAKES
10 ANDY GRIFFITH
11:30 3 PARADISE BAY (C)
10 DICK VAN DYKE
6 DATING GAME

Afternoon

12:00 6 DR. JOYCE BROTHERS (C)
3 NEWS, WEATHER, SPORTS
10 LOVE OF LIFE
12:25 10 NEWS
12:30 3 MIKE DOUGLAS
10 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW
6 LET'S PLAY POST OFFICE (C)
12:45 10 GUIDING LIGHT
12:55 6 NEWS
1:00 10 TV 10 AROUND TOWN
6 BEN CASEY
1:30 10 AS THE WORLD TURNS
2:00 3 DAYS OF OUR LIVES (C)
6 GATOR BOWL: Texas Tech vs Georgia Tech (C)
10 PASSWORD
2:30 3 DOCTORS
10 HOUSE PARTY
3:00 3 ANOTHER WORLD
10 TELL THE TRUTH
3:25 10 NEWS
3:30 3 YOU DON'T SAY (C)
10 EDGE OF NIGHT
4:00 3 MATCH GAME (C)
10 SECRET STORM
4:25 3 NEWS
4:30 3 EAST-WEST SHRINE GAME
10 DENNIS THE MENACE
5:00 10 MOVIE: "Massacre River"
6 POPEYE THEATRE (C)
5:30 6 MAGILLA GORILLA
12 FRIENDLY GIANT
5:45 12 SING HI—SING LO

Night

6:00 12 LOCAL NEWS
6 MAVERICK
6:30 12 WHAT'S NEW
3 NEWS (C)
10 NEWS
7:00 10 NEWS, WEATHER
6 NEWS, WEATHER AND SPORTS (C)
12 READING OUT LOUD
7:15 6 NEWS
7:30 6 FLINTSTONES (C)
10 WILD, WILD WEST
3 CAMP RUNAMUCK (C)
12 TV 12 GARDEN CLUB
8:00 6 TAMMY (C)
3 HANK
12 DIAMOND STATE PROFILE
8:30 10 HOGAN'S HEROES (C)
3 ORANGE PARADE (C)
6 ADDAMS FAMILY
9:00 10 GOMER PYLE, USMC (C)
6 HONEY WEST
12 MIKADO
9:30 10 SMOTHERS BROTHERS
3 MR. ROBERTS (C)
6 FARMER'S DAUGHTER
10:00 3 MAN FROM U. N. C. L. E. (C)
10 TRIALS OF O'BRIEN
6 JIMMY DEAN
10:15 12 FILM SHORT
10:30 12 AND ALL THAT JAZZ
11:00 3 NEWS, WEATHER, SPORTS
10 NEWS, WEATHER, SPORTS
12 LOCAL NEWS
6 NEWS, WEATHER AND SPORTS (C)
11:20 6 MOVIE: "The Bravados" (C)
11:25 10 MOVIE: "My Gal Sal" (C)
11:30 3 JOHNNY CARSON (C)
11:55 10 TIMES SQUARE
1:00 3 MERV GRIFFIN
1:10 6 MOVIE: "Walk Softly, Stranger"
1:25 10 MOVIE: "The Rose Bowl Story"
2:00 3 FBI MOST WANTED
2:05 3 CONTACT
2:35 3 NEWS
2:55 10 NEWS

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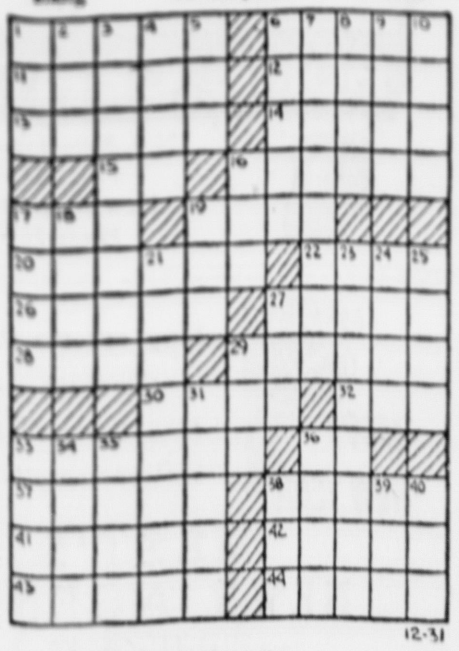
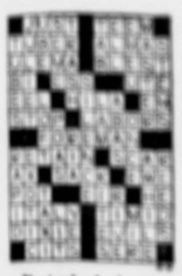
ACROSS
1. Benefit
6. Bad-tempered
11. Dwelling
12. Goddesses of the seasons
13. Paid (up)
14. Prevention measure
15. Abraham's birthplace
16. Dusk
17. Herd of whales
19. Weather word
20. Yearly
22. Between Colorado and Nevada
26. Skoal
27. Dig
28. Marinate
29. Cleaner of a sort
30. Russian river
32. Apache, Pawnee, etc.: abbr.
33. Racetrack wager
36. During
37. Wartime naval menace
38. Strange
41. Dish
42. Frighten
43. Mosquito carrying yellow fever
44. Mr. Liston

DOWN
1. Ironic exclamation
2. Prefix to German names
3. Of a season
4. Elbe tributary
5. Showed the way
6. Grave-robber
7. Branding sessions, Texas style
8. Vases
9. Confront
10. Extremities of a kind
16. Music note
17. Pistolist slang
18. Wild ox
19. Manx, for one
21. Discolored, as if burned
23. Society Islands inhabitant
24. Arabian Sea gulf
25. Flock
27. Chemical salt
29. Route
31. Prices
33. Chrysalis
34. Competent
35. Way
36. Tropical dog
38. Fool
39. Falcon of sea
40. Waterloo marshal



Yesterday's Answer



12-31

A Cryptogram Quotation

CTWK EKW RWJPKH AE AYDK PK RWI PA PH APVW AE AYDK EYA.—CWSSPKJAEK

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: THE EARTH, THAT IS NATURE'S MOTHER, IS HER TOMB.—SHAKESPEARE

TIM TYLER'S LUCK

WUGGS McGINNIS

BRICK BRADFORD

ETTA KETT

BIG SISTER

BARNEY GOOGLE & SNUFFY SMITH

THE LONE RANGER

MICKEY MOUSE

FELIX THE CAT

ROYERSFORD-SPRING CITY

[illegible]

Parents Announce Engagement of Peggy Shappell

[illegible]

PEGGY ANN SHAPPELL

[illegible]

Deaths - Funerals

Funeral services for MRS. RUTH ESTHER [illegible] KIRKENDALL, wife of Charles Kirkendall, BLOOMSBURG, were from the [illegible] Funeral Home in Bloomsburg. Interment was in [illegible] Memorial cemetery, Bloomsburg, RD. Mrs. Kirkendall was an aunt of Earl [illegible], [illegible] Church street, Royersford. There are also two sisters-in-law in the Pottstown area: Mrs. Harrison Stahl, Township Line road, Sanatoga, and Mrs. Mary [illegible], 10 East Eighth street, Pottstown. Also surviving with the husband are two sons, Robert and Harold and a daughter, Betty.

Funeral services for HELEN (PIENTA) SCHEAFFER, 52, wife of Warren H. Scheaffer, 118 READ ROAD, ROYERSFORD, were Thursday at 2 p.m. from St. James Lutheran church, Limerick.

The Rev. George W. Ziegler, pastor, officiated.

Interment was in Highland Memorial cemetery.

Bearers were Francis Pienta, J. Earl Hatfield, Earl Norton, Edward Falicki, Elmer Kehl, Raymond Lauer Jr.

Richard Spohn Visits Relatives In Boyertown

GREEN LANE — Mrs. E. L. Angstadt, 209 Main street, Green Lane, corr., 234-4302. Dennis Renninger, Route 29, Pottstown, delivery, 367-9094.

Richard Spohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spohn, spent the Christmas weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Spohn, Boyertown, RD.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Szegda and son, Stephen Jr., and Mrs. Szegda's mother, Mrs. Louise Gallo, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gallo and family, Wescosville, and with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Szegda, Allentown.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Szegda were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gallo, Wescos ille; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Maris, Pottstown; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taraskas and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Herrman, Green Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Richard's son, Lawrence, is home on leave from the Marines for the Christmas holidays. He is stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Mrs. Paul DiBartolo and children, Green Lane, RD, were dinner guests of Mrs. Josephine Copes, Philadelphia, Mrs. DiBartolo's cousin, Mrs. Angelo Testino and children, Diane and John, Glenolden.

Dial 323-3000 when you hear of an accident, when you see one, or when you know of any other news. The Mercury gives $10 weekly for best news tips.

Town Topics

[illegible]

The Rev. [illegible] pastor of [illegible] Royersford will be the speaker at a Watch Night service beginning at 10:30 o'clock tonight in the church [illegible]

[illegible] church. The service will consist praise and the showing of a film, "Angel in Ebony." The congregation will join together in prayer as the old year becomes the new. The service will be conducted by the Rev. Boyd Long, Royersford pastor, with the Rev. James H. Jones, Pottstown pastor, bringing a New Year's challenge.

Phoenixville Hospital

Admitted: Edward H. [illegible], 151 Wall street, Spring City; Lena Black, 40 [illegible] road, Phoenixville; Wasyl [illegible], 120 High street, Phoenixville; the Rev. Larry Carl, 257 Morgan street, Phoenixville; Mrs. Alex [illegible], Chester avenue and Kimberton road, Phoenixville; Jo Ellen Drabick, 347 Second avenue, Phoenixville; William Detwiler, 600 Starr street, Phoenixville.

Discharged: Steven Darby, 32 Roberts drive, Phoenixville; Ronald Raysor, 218 Nutt road, Phoenixville; Mary McCulley, 154 Nutt road, Phoenixville; Steven Edwards, 3 Mill street, Phoenixville; Mrs. Arthur Heath, and daughter, 45 Rossiter avenue, Phoenixville; Mrs. John Martin, 35 Robarts drive, Phoenixville; Alexander Turocai, 31 Robarts drive, Phoenixville; Mrs. Richard Gromlovitis, Phoenixville RD 2; Louis Costello Jr., 817 Gay street, Phoenixville; Charles Mills, Kimberton; Mrs. Wayne Detwiler, Thorndale; James Gallagher, Kimberton.

Births: A daughter was born to Mrs. Richard Ott, 1030 Mowere road, Phoenixville; and a daughter was born to Mrs. Ralph Kring, Oaks.

Area Visitors Are Hosted by Kramlick Family

GREEN LANE — Mrs. E. L. Angstadt, 201 Main street, Green Lane, corr., 234-4302. Dennis Renninger, Route 29, Pottstown, delivery, 367-9094.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Kramlik and daughter, Patsy, were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keck and daughter, Karen, Allentown, RD; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams and children, Shoemakersville; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Funk and son, Edward, Souderton; Gloria Yoder, Quakertown; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kramlik, Telford, R.D., and son Tony, a student at Pennsylvania State university; and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kramlik and daughter, Susan, Perkasie.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fenstermaker and son, Terry, Pennsburg, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Breyer.

Christmas eve, Barry Breyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fenstermaker and son, Scott, East Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stefancik, Philadelphia, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul DiBartolo and family; Mrs. DiBartolo's mother, Mrs. Josephine Copes, Philadelphia, was an overnight guest Christmas Eve and spent Christmas day with her daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul DiBartolo and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stefancik, Philadelphia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Richard and family, Heffentrager road, Green Lane, RD.

With Area Service Personnel

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ANTHONY SIBALIC

Entering the Army in May 1965, he completed basic training at Ft. Jackson, S. C. After basic training he underwent 14 weeks of training in automotive repair at Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md.

McGinniss Family Hosts Visitors From Germany

EVANSBURG — Mrs. Richard Case, 147 E. 7th ave., Collegeville, corr., 489-2119. For delivery call, 323-3000.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. McGinniss and Jane and Thomas, Cross Keys road, were visited on Christmas by relatives from Germany, Mr. and Mrs. John Traub and daughter. Mr. Traub is with the U. S. government as a civil service employe in northern Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Eugene Runyan and daughter, Beverly, Evansburg road, spent Christmas with Mrs. Runyan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hayman, Stillwater.

The Runyan's son, Robert, was the Christmas guest of Betty Ann Killam, Moncton, Canada.

Christmas day visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Griffin and children, Richard, George, Deborah, Sandra and Robert, Lewis road, were; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williamson, Worcester; and Mrs. George Crawford, Conshohocken. The Griffins were the guests of Mrs. Nicolos Chaban, Norristown.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fontaine and children, John, Brian and Joan, Township line road, entertained the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fontaine, Jeffersonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Loughery, E. River road, entertained their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Clemens, Trooper, for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Loughter visited Mr. and Mrs. George Loughery, Graterford.

Our Warriors' Words

Christmas Lonely For Soldier in Viet Nam Zone

[illegible]

"The Christmas season is [illegible]"

The County Scene

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Non-voters Notified Their Names Will Be Stricken from Voter Lists

[illegible]

[illegible] "If you want to remain on our list of registered electors, please sign the enclosed yellow card and send it to us immediately. Should no word be received from you within ten days, your name will be removed from the registration list without further notice.

"If you feel that our records are incomplete or incorrect in this respect and that you have voted in 1965 or 1964, please write to us immediately and give us the full particulars. Further search may substantiate your statements.)"

County Commissioners Okay $300 Annual Cost of Living Raise

Montgomery County Commissioners this week approved a cost-of-living increase of $300 per year, the first since 1958, for county salaried employes and merit increases for some others.

Commissioners A. Russell Parkhouse, William W. Vogel and Daniel T. Costello said the cost-of-living adjustment was necessary because of an increase in retirement plan contributions, a rise in health coverage costs, and additional withholdings in 1966 for Social Security.

Increases will be received in the first checks of 1966 on Jan. 15. These will be processed by Peoples National Bank and Trust company under a one year contract awarded several months ago, as another step in data processing for county records. The new system also result in a net saving on payroll expenses, the commissioners said.

An increase in working hours for many county employes will be effective Monday. New hours will be 8:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., although some county departments have been observing longer hours for some time because of opening for the public at 8 or 8:30 a.m.

Rectory Thief Gets Jail Term

NORRISTOWN (AP)—Samuel H. Kipp Jr., 32, Mt. Holly, N. J., was sentenced Thursday to 18 months to 10 years in Montgomery county prison, after pleading guilty to stealing $1900 from a rectory in nearby Gladwyne last Sept. 24.

The Rev. Ignatius Reynolds, pastor of the St. John Baptist Vianney Roman Catholic church, said Kipp posed as an electrician and entered the rectory on the pretext of checking the lights. When Kipp left abruptly, the pastor checked the cashbox in his bedroom and found the money gone.

Kipp was arrested less than two hours later at a tollgate on the New Jersey side of the Tacony-Palmyra bridge.

He was sentenced by Judge Robert Honeyman.

2 County Pupils To Receive State Awards at Show

Two Montgomery county pupils in Upper Perkiomen High school, East Greenville, will receive State Homemaker Degrees Jan. 12, in ceremonies during the 1966 State Farm Show in Harrisburg.

Pupils receiving the awards are Gloria Roeder, 215 Fourth street, East Greenville, and Bertha Goodman Macungie, RD 1, who will be given highest recognition for outstanding individual achievement in Future Homemakers of America activities at local, county and state levels.

Mrs. Clio S. Reinwald, Coordinator of Home Economics Education and School Food Service, State Department of Public Instruction, and State Future Homemakers of America advisor, said that this coveted recognition will be awarded only to 199 high school girls, less than 2 percent of the statewide membership of 15,000.

Approximately 1800 members, teachers and chapter parents are expected to attend the event, she added.

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Bertie Francis Spends Holidays With Parents

[illegible]

Susan Light, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Light, Sixth avenue has been home for a month's holiday vacation from the Altoona Division of Pennsylvania State University.

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FRANK LIGHT Jr., returned home from Duke University, Durham, N. C., for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nyce Jr. and sons, Richard, Michael, Jonathan and David, Mill road, visited Mr. and Mrs. John B. Nyce and daughters, Rebecca and Deborah, Third avenue on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Nyce and daughters motored to Bernville to view Christmas Village.

Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Tait, Susan, Helen and Forbes, Main street, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Roberts and family, Norristown.

'March of Dimes Month' Scheduled for January

Proclaiming January "March of Dimes Month," Montgomery county commissioners urged citizens to give the annual campaign full support.

Citizen participation was asked by Commissioners A. Russell Parkhouse, William W. Vogel and Daniel T. Costello who signed the proclamation designating January as "March of Dimes Month" in Montgomery county.

Harold W. Miller, South Main street, North Wales, accepted th. proclamation as chairman, board of directors, Montgomery county chapter, National Foundation—March of Dimes.

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ZERN'S WILL BE OPEN NEW YEAR'S DAY
THIS SAT., JAN. 1st. AS USUAL

Happy New Year From Zern's 200 Friendly Merchants

WINNERS
OF ZERN'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS GIVE-A-WAY

PONY
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TELEVISION SETS
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NOWHERE ELSE SO MANY UNUSUAL DEPTS.

Special Buys '57 Cadillacs

4-door Hardtop. Equipped with Automatic transmission, power steering & heater, real classy automobiles . . . 3 to choose from at . . .

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PRE-INVENTORY CLEARANCE SALE

No Money Down — 1st Payment February

65 FORD	Galx. 500 XL, Conv., V-8, 4-speed trans., red	$2895
65 PLY.	Fury III Conv., V-8, auto., power steering, R/H, white	$2595
64 FORD	Galax. 500, 2-dr. H'top., 390, 4-speed, R/H, dark blue	$2195
64 FORD	Galx. 500, 4-dr. Sdn., V-8, auto., power steering, white	$2095
63 OLDS.	Conv., Dynaflo 88, P/S/B, R/H, V-8, auto., white	$2095
63 MERCURY	Marauder H'top., P/S/B, R/H V-8, auto., gold/blk.	$1895
63 MERCURY	Meteor 2-dr. Sdn., 6-cyl., stand., R/H, beige	$1195
62 WILLYS	Sta. Wgn., 2-dr., 6-cyl., 4-wheel drive, green	$1695
62 OLDS.	F85 Cutlas Conv., V-8, auto., R/H, burgundy	$1395
61 CHEV.	Impala 2-dr. H'top., V-8, stand, R/H, green	$1295
60 CHEV	Belair 2-dr. Sdn., 6-cyl., auto., R/H, blue/white	$ 995
60 FORD	Galax. 500 Conv., V-8, auto., power steering, R/H, beige	$ 895

40 OTHERS TO CHOOSE FROM

SPENCE FORD, Inc.
ROUTE 100 NORTH — END OF BYPASS
BOYERTOWN, PA PHONE 367-2681
OPEN EVENINGS TILL 9; FRI. TILL 5 P.M.
CLOSED SATURDAY

BRINGING UP FATHER

POPEYE

2-DAY NEW YEAR SALE

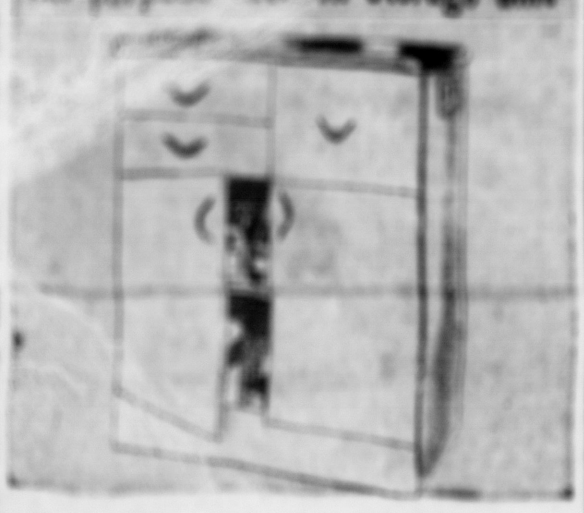
OPEN TODAY 'TIL 6 P.M.

OPEN TOMORROW 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.

24 x 64 – $16.99 | 30 x 64 – $19.99
27 x 64 – $14.99 | 36 x 64 – $24.99

Glass Front China
Sliding Glass Doors
Roomy Storage Drawer
$29.95

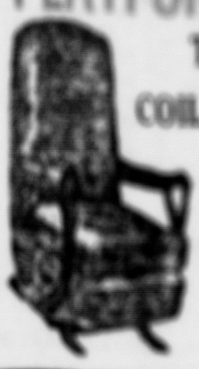
All purpose kitchen storage unit



FORMICA TOP BASE CABINET
20" .... Sale $15.95
24" .... Sale $19.95
36" .... Sale $39.00

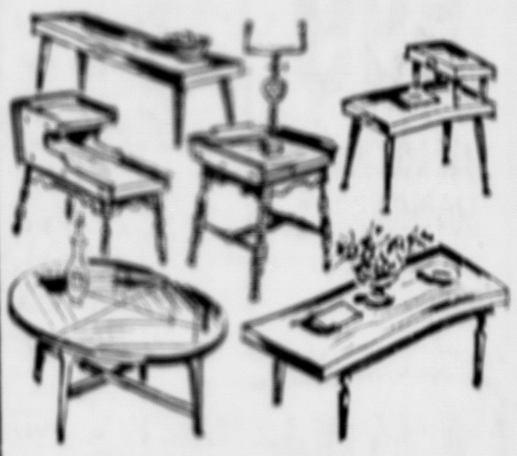
UTILITY CABINETS
SINGLE DOOR $9
DOUBLE DOOR $12
SINGLE DOOR $10
DOUBLE DOOR $19

PLATFORM ROCKERS



TOP GRADE NYLON
COIL UNIT CONSTRUCTION
$99 VALUE
Sale $39

3-Pc. BEDROOM SUITES
SALEM OR RED MAPLE
DRESSER-MIRROR, CHEST AND PANEL OR POSTER BED
$249 VALUE Sale $128



BIG TABLE RIOT
LARGE SELECTION, ALL STYLES AND TYPES, ONE-OF-A-KINDS
Sale $5.00 Each

BIG RUG and CARPET SALE!

BROADLOOM
100% CONTINUOUS FILAMENT
NYLON 4.99 sq. yd.

100% FOAM BACK NYLON
12 FT. WIDTH $2.99 sq. yd. | 9x12 RUG $29.95

501 NYLON CARPET SALE!

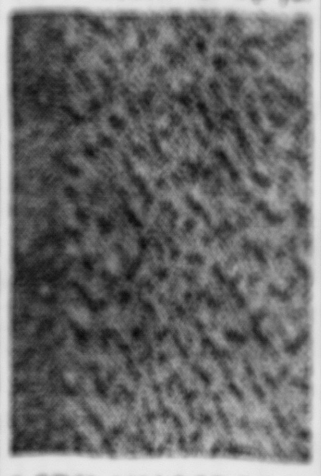
$9.95 VALUE
$5.99 sq. yd.

REMNANTS – ENDS OF ROLLS
CHECK THIS LIST FOR OUTSTANDING BUYS

9x12 AXMINSTERS	$40.88
12x9'5" WOOL, GOLD	$99
9x12 NYLON TWIST	$79
12x 7 BROWN TWEED	$19.95
9x18 McGEE WILTON	$129
12x13'2" GOLD NYLON	$89
12x11 SUEDE ACRILAN	$119
12x13'6" RED 501 NYLON	$88
12x15 CANYON GOLD NYLON	$99

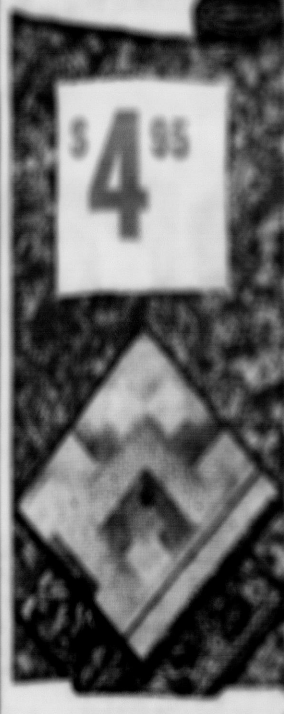
9x12 50 OUNCE RUBBERIZED CUSHION $12.88

12 FT. ROLL
ACRILAN TWIST
LEVEL LOOP GOLD COLOR $6.48 sq. yd.



ACRILAN LOOP PILE TWEED
$8.99 VALUE $4.99 sq. yd.

LARGE SELECTION
9x12 PLASTIC LINOLEUM RUGS



CARPET CLOSEOUTS! SAVE 40% OR MORE
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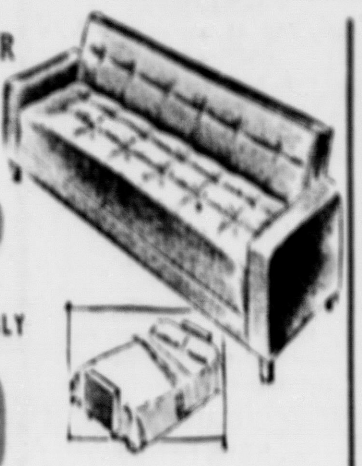
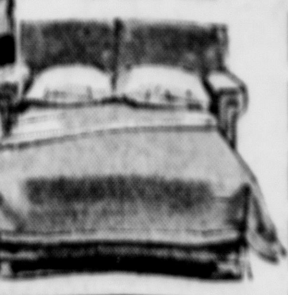
FAMOUS KROEHLER NYLON SOFA BED



SLEEPS 2 COMFORTABLY
SAVE $30.00 $79

SLEEP SOFA



MODERN COLONIAL $179

★ DOOR BUSTER ★ HOOVER FLOOR SHAMPOOER Sale $4.99	★ DOOR BUSTER ★ HOOVER STEAM 'N DRY IRON Stainless Steel Sole Plate Sale $11.99	★ DOOR BUSTER ★ HOOVER UPRIGHT CLEANER Sale $59.88	★ DOOR BUSTER ★ RCA WHIRLPOOL AUTOMATIC DRYER 5-CYCLE, 3 TEMPERATURES Sale $159	★ DOOR BUSTER ★ RCA WHIRLPOOL DISHWASHER Sale $158	★ DOOR BUSTER ★ WHIRLPOOL 12 CU. FT. UPRIGHT FREEZER Sale $188	★ DOOR BUSTER ★ RCA WHIRLPOOL WRINGER WASHER Sale $99	★ DOOR BUSTER ★ RCA VICTOR TRANSISTOR RADIO Sale $12.88

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